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Time of Issuance and Scope of Coming Crop Reports

The United States Department of Agriculture will publish the following crop reports in the month of November:

November 8, Thursday, 11 a.m., report as of November 1 on probable total ginnings of cotton.

November 9, Friday, 3 p.m., estimates of yield per acre and production of corn, buckwheat, flaxseed, rice, grain sorghums, broomcorn, dry edible beans, peanuts, potatoes, sweetpotatoes, tobacco, sugar beets, sorgo sirup, and sugar cane sirup; acreage, yield, and production of soybeans and cowpeas; production of apples, pears, grapes, cranberries, pecans, almonds, and walnuts; and condition of citrus and miscellaneous fruits.

General Crop Report as of September 1, 1934

Corn prospects have declined 122,500,000 bushels since last month, according to the September estimates of the Crop Reporting Board. Recent reports show that in much of the drought area the crop was past recovery when the August rains arrived and no grain was produced. The total corn crop is now estimated at 1,484,600,000 bushels which would be less than 60 percent of usual production and the smallest corn crop since 1881.

Although too late for corn, the rains of the last several weeks have caused a marked improvement in growing conditions in the drought-hit States from Minnesota and Nebraska southward and also in much of the area east of the Mississippi. Late potatoes, sweetpotatoes, apples, late hay crops, tobacco, sorghums, buckwheat, onions, cabbage and other crops still growing were helped and in some areas they may still make considerable growth if cold weather holds off.

Pastures were the poorest on record for September 1 but they are expected to show some recovery, and so far as surface moisture is concerned conditions for seeding winter wheat are vastly improved in the main winter-wheat belt. From the eastern counties of the Dakotas and Colorado westward the drought has not yet been broken and in most of this area, except on the Pacific coast, it is now too late to expect grass in pastures and ranges to make much growth this fall.

Allowing for the heavy reduction in the estimates of corn production and for slight changes in prospects for oats, barley, and grain sorghums, the production of these four feed grains combined is estimated at 55,000,000 tons, which would be 34 percent below production last year and 46 percent below average production during the previous 10 years. Deducting seed and

industrial requirements and an allowance for corn and grain sorghums utilized only for silage or fodder and, on the other hand, adding an allowance for wheat, rye, cottonseed, and minor grains that will be fed, for mill feeds and oil meals, for increased net imports of feed and for close utilization of grain and feed supplies on hand, the total quantity of grain, mill feeds, and concentrates that will be available for feeding livestock in the United States during the current 12 months, July 1 to June 30, now appears to be about 62,000,000 tons. Last year about 87,000,000 tons were fed and during the preceding 9 years the quantity fed averaged about 96,000,000 tons per year.

The hay crop is estimated at 56,000,000 tons which would be only 75 percent of the quantity harvested last year and about 67 percent of the average tonnage harvested during the preceding 10 seasons. Far less straw and corn fodder were grown than in any recent year but close utilization may increase the quantity consumed by livestock. An unusual quantity of Russian thistles, weeds, and coarse forage of all kinds is being stacked and, in the drought areas that have had rain, winter grains and late forage crops are being planted for fall pasture. On the whole, however, it is increasingly evident that an acute shortage of both feed grain and roughage is now unavoidable, although feed requirements and death losses, of course, will depend in part on the mildness of the winter. Feed costs have risen sharply and are now high in comparison with livestock prices. As a result, the numbers of cattle, sheep, hogs, and hens on farms are being steadily reduced and marketings are expected to continue heavy for some months.

In the case of the principal food crops there has recently been some improvement in prospects. Reports on spring wheat yields were closely in line with expectations and the total wheat crop is estimated at 493,000,000 bushels. This would be the smallest wheat crop since 1893 but with supplies on hand it would meet ordinary requirements and leave some for feed and carryover. The estimates for buckwheat, rice, peanuts, apples, pears, potatoes, sweetpotatoes, sugar beets, and onions are all above those of a month ago. The estimate for dry beans is only slightly lower and the only important food-crop reduction shown this month is the 11 percent decrease in the estimated tonnage of California grapes.

On the whole, national supplies of principal food crops, if closely utilized, should be sufficient for ordinary requirements.

Supplies of fruits and vegetables are, however, quite unevenly distributed. In the Central States production of both fruits and vegetables has been reduced by drought and in the Northeast, where a very large number of fruit trees were killed by the severe cold last winter, the fruit crop is unusually light.

In the country as a whole, the apple crop is the smallest since 1921 and the production of dried fruits, chiefly prunes, raisins, and apricots, will be materially below average. On the other hand, with no more than average losses from storms and freezes, the orange and grapefruit crops are likely to equal the record crops produced in 1930 and a rather large crop of canning tomatoes is expected. With these possible exceptions there does not appear to be an unusually heavy production of any important food crop this year.

Combining the estimates for 33 of the principal crops, present indications are that yields per acre will average fully 18 percent less than they were last year and about 22 percent below the average of yields during the past 13 years. Total crop production appears much lower than in any year since the beginning of the World War.

Summary of the Acreage, Condition, Production, and Yield of Important Crops

Crop	Acreage (in thousands)				Condition Sept. 1			Production (in millions)				Yield per acre		
	Average, 1927-31	1933	1934		Average, 1922-31	1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1933	Indicated		Average, 1922-31	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934
			Percent of 1933	Total						Aug. 1, 1934	Sept. 1, 1934			
	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Acres</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Bushels</i>	<i>Bushels</i>	<i>Bushels</i>	<i>Bushels</i>	<i>Bushels</i>	<i>Bushels</i>	<i>Bushels</i>
Corn.....	100,706	102,397	90.4	92,526	71.5	61.9	43.5	2,516	2,344	1,607	1,485	25.7	22.9	16.0
Wheat, all.....	60,383	47,518	92.6	43,996				856	528	491	493	14.4	11.1	11.2
Winter.....	40,050	28,446	114.2	32,455				632	352	401	401	15.2	12.4	12.3
All spring.....	20,333	19,072	60.4	11,511	68.6	50.2	32.1	254	176	90.4	92.8	12.6	9.2	8.1
Durum.....	5,105	2,310	45.9	1,061	2 69.3	46.2	24.5	61	16	6.6	6.1	12.1	7.0	5.7
Other spring.....	15,233	16,762	62.3	10,450	2 64.0	50.7	32.8	193	160	83.9	86.7	12.7	9.6	8.3
Oats.....	29,673	36,704	90.9	33,343	77.1	43.3	39.2	1,187	732	545	545	30.1	19.9	16.4
Barley.....	11,963	10,108	86.2	8,712	75.5	47.6	40.2	270	157	119	123	22.7	15.5	14.1
Rye.....	3,219	2,358	95.8	2,260				40.9	21.2	17.3	17.3	12.4	9.0	7.6
Buckwheat.....	630	461	96.7	446	79.5	72.8	73.1	9.5	7.8	6.1	7.1	15.8	17.0	15.8
Flaxseed.....	2,915	1,286	88.1	1,133	68.0	41.6	35.1	18.7	6.8	5.3	5.3	7.3	5.3	4.6
Rice.....	954	769	95.8	737	82.2	82.3	83.9	43.7	35.6	35.0	36.5	42.5	46.3	49.5
Grain sorghums.....	6,625	8,143	98.2	7,993	70.1	57.4	23.8	94.0	87.9	54.3	53.9	14.3	10.8	6.7
Potatoes.....	3,201	3,197	105.8	3,353	75.3	59.1	61.9	366	320	327	337	112.9	100.2	99.7
Sweetpotatoes.....	688	761	101.2	770	73.0	71.8	62.5	62.4	65.1	63.1	64.2	90.2	85.5	83.3
Apples, total crop.....					59.0	54.1	42.7	156	143	110	112			
Apples, commercial crop.....					61.1	55.9	44.2	96.4	74.7	68.1	67.9			
Peaches, total crop.....					2 62.4	50.9	52.1	2 56.3	3 44.7	45.4	45.7			
Pears, total crop.....					66.1	58.2	62.4	2 22.3	3 21.2	22.9	23.1			
Cotton.....	41,036	4 29,978	90.9	27,241	5 57.7	67.5	53.8	Bales 14.7	Bales 13.0	Bales 9.2	Bales 9.3	Pounds 169.9	Pounds 203.5	Pounds 162.6
Beans, dry, edible.....	1,769	1,671	104.2	1,742	69.9	67.0	55.5	Bags 11.6	Bags 12.3	Bags 9.2	Bags 9.1	666	735	522
Tobacco.....	1,904	1,770	77.1	1,364	75.6	75.3	77.8	Pounds 1,471	Pounds 1,385	Pounds 1,041	Pounds 1,078	776	783	790
Peanuts (for nuts).....	1,253	1,361	112.8	1,335	73.2	70.6	70.3	904	921	1,025	1,025	706	676	668
Hops.....	23	28	115.0	32	85.2	90.2	76.3	29.3	39.5	35.3	36.9	1,284	1,411	1,145
Hay:								Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons
Tame.....	54,420	53,947	98.5	53,152	2 78.8	67.3	45.1	72.3	66.0	49.0	50.7	1.31	1.22	1.95
Wild.....	13,418	12,315	88.2	10,865				11.4	8.6	4.7	5.3	.83	.70	1.49
All.....	67,838	66,262	96.6	64,017				83.6	74.6	53.7	56.0	1.21	1.13	.87
All clover and timothy.....	28,260	23,869	92.3	22,040				33.6	25.1	17.6	16.9	1.16	1.05	1.77
Alfalfa.....	11,397	12,730	95.8	12,249	2 77.8	69.2	48.5	23.6	24.9	19.0	19.5	2.10	1.95	1.59
Grapes.....					76.3	63.7	61.5	2 22.8	3 1.91	1.83	1.69			
Broomcorn.....	306	296	98.3	291	69.8	45.8	35.6	47.3	31.8	26.2	28.9	312.8	214.1	198.1
Sugar beets.....	708	983	81.8	11 804	84.3	83.4	59.8	7.85	11.03	6.80	7.47	2 10.8	11.2	9.3
Sorgo for sirup.....	182	240	102.5	246										
Sugarcane for sirup.....	103	127	100.8	128										

¹ Preliminary estimate.² Short-time average.³ Includes some quantities not harvested.⁴ Area in cultivation July 1 less removal of acreage reported by the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, less abandonment on area not under contract.⁵ Average 1923-32.⁶ Bags of 100 pounds.⁷ Excludes sweetclover and lespedeza. (Minor States excluded.)⁸ July indication.⁹ Production is the total for fresh fruit, juice, and raisins.¹⁰ Production in thousands, not millions, and yield in pounds.¹¹ Planted acreage less probable abandonment.

Combining the September 1 indications for 33 of the principal crops, the composite of prospective crop yields for the United States is 22.5 percent below the yields per acre secured during the 10 years (1921-30).

Indicated Yield per Acre of Important Crops, Sept. 1, 1934 ¹

[Expressed as a percentage of the 10-year (1921-30) average yield]

Crop	Sept. 1934 as percent of 10-yr. av.	Change from Aug. 1	Crop	Sept. 1934 as percent of 10-yr. av.	Change from Aug. 1
Corn.....	61.3	-5.4	Broomcorn.....	62.4	+5.7
Wheat, winter.....	83.7	0	Hops.....	90.2	+3.9
Wheat, durum.....	46.3	-4.1	20 field crops.....	77.2	-0.2
Wheat, other spring.....	64.3	+2.3	Apples, total.....	77.0	+1.2
Cotton lint.....	101.9	+1.0	Peaches.....	84.3	+0.5
Oats.....	55.4	0	Pears.....	93.8	+0.7
Barley.....	61.3	+1.7	Grapes, total.....	76.5	-8.7
Rye.....	60.3	0	Oranges.....	93.5	+0.5
Buckwheat.....	99.4	+13.2	Grapefruit.....	92.7	+1.4
Flax.....	61.3	0	Lemons.....	95.1	-3.7
Rice.....	118.4	+4.8	Apricots.....	56.5	+2.9
Grain sorgo, all.....	45.9	-0.7	Figs, all.....	87.2	-11.5
Hay, tame.....	72.5	+2.3	Olives.....	70.5	+3.3
Hay, wild.....	57.6	+7.0	Prunes, dry.....	74.6	-8.1
Beans, dry.....	78.0	-0.7	Plums and fresh.....		
Peanuts, for nuts.....	95.9		prunes.....	97.7	+1.7
Potatoes, Irish.....	90.0	+2.7	Almonds.....	76.1	-6.0
Potatoes, sweet.....	91.3	+1.5	Walnuts.....	88.0	0
Tobacco.....	102.3	+3.3	13 fruits and nuts combined.....	81.7	-0.8
Sugar cane, all, La.....	113.1	+1.4	All crops listed above.....	77.5	-0.2
Sugar beets.....	86.1	+8.3			

Indicated Yield per Acre of 33 Important Crops, Sept. 1, 1934 ¹

[Expressed as a percentage of the 10-year (1921-30) average yield]

State	Sept., 1934 as percent of 10-year average	Change from Aug. 1	State	Sept., 1934 as percent of 10-year average	Change from Aug. 1
Maine.....	104.7	+8.0	North Carolina.....	112.0	+4.6
New Hampshire.....	92.0	+0.2	South Carolina.....	123.2	+11.6
Vermont.....	91.1	-0.6	Georgia.....	116.8	+4.0
Massachusetts.....	93.7	+2.2	Florida.....	98.5	-0.9
Rhode Island.....	89.7	+1.6	Kentucky.....	103.4	+5.9
Connecticut.....	100.1	-3.1	Tennessee.....	105.8	-0.3
New York.....	81.6	+0.3	Alabama.....	120.6	+4.0
New Jersey.....	97.9	+1.6	Mississippi.....	101.9	-2.4
Pennsylvania.....	95.9	+4.2	Arkansas.....	78.9	-4.0
Ohio.....	85.2	+2.7	Louisiana.....	97.6	.0
Indiana.....	83.5	-1.7	Oklahoma.....	62.2	-5.7
Illinois.....	69.1	-5.9	Texas.....	81.6	+1.0
Michigan.....	76.4	+5.1	Montana.....	64.1	+4.5
Wisconsin.....	83.3	+2.1	Idaho.....	89.1	+0.9
Minnesota.....	62.1	-0.2	Wyoming.....	57.4	-1.1
Iowa.....	55.9	-7.2	Colorado.....	56.2	+1.8
Missouri.....	45.1	-4.3	New Mexico.....	87.8	-3.8
North Dakota.....	39.6	-2.7	Arizona.....	111.1	+3.0
South Dakota.....	26.5	-2.6	Utah.....	61.5	+2.0
Nebraska.....	29.0	-3.3	Nevada.....	66.7	+0.1
Kansas.....	50.5	-1.6	Washington.....	97.5	-0.1
Delaware.....	99.5	+3.1	Oregon.....	88.0	+2.4
Maryland.....	102.9	+5.6	California.....	91.0	-1.9
Virginia.....	105.6	+4.1			
West Virginia.....	77.7	+3.7	United States.....	77.5	-0.2

¹ Indicated percent of a full crop for fruits and nuts.¹ Certain minor States not included. Fruits and nuts—Indicated percent of a full crop.

Estimated Crop Conditions Sept. 1, 1934, with Comparisons

State	Corn ¹						Oats					
	Condition Sept. 1			Production			Condition Sept. 1			Production		
	Average, 1922-31	1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934	Average, 1922-31	1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934
	Percent	Percent	Percent	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.	Percent	Percent	Percent	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.
Maine.....	81	89	79	538	697	663	90	92	89	4,322	5,200	4,750
New Hampshire.....	83	92	85	562	600	630	89	87	82	235	228	266
Vermont.....	82	84	84	2,617	2,520	2,665	90	74	85	1,847	1,593	1,860
Massachusetts.....	81	86	84	1,686	1,520	1,554	86	73	81	157	150	128
Rhode Island.....	87	85	84	346	410	400	87	75	88	64	72	32
Connecticut.....	83	82	90	2,042	2,067	2,142	85	87	88	235	225	261
New York.....	77	75	78	19,072	17,546	20,026	83	51	69	26,861	16,810	22,572
New Jersey.....	80	67	89	6,581	6,012	6,888	82	77	86	1,233	1,161	1,290
Pennsylvania.....	77	76	88	45,570	50,560	53,504	83	59	70	29,069	20,812	22,874
Ohio.....	76	65	68	121,397	112,694	91,488	79	44	45	63,826	26,096	25,051
Indiana.....	74	65	61	146,379	127,263	107,590	72	37	29	61,328	28,730	19,773
Illinois.....	74	53	48	302,578	224,748	178,296	74	44	26	139,955	78,760	43,140
Michigan.....	70	73	58	34,013	42,315	34,125	80	49	55	45,707	23,541	28,612
Wisconsin.....	77	82	77	64,895	77,980	79,526	85	57	66	84,750	63,882	63,525
Minnesota.....	71	66	46	134,848	142,957	94,860	81	49	44	138,859	96,406	75,480
Iowa.....	79	78	46	413,751	450,000	216,009	² 35.8	² 23.0	² 13.0	214,018	143,589	68,991
Missouri.....	71	60	9	150,699	141,446	24,375	70	61	25	36,652	32,634	14,990
North Dakota.....	69	52	19	20,200	20,010	8,166	67	39	18	38,074	22,139	8,939
South Dakota.....	60	23	15	95,748	40,440	13,209	70	17	17	59,223	5,220	3,674
Nebraska.....	66	64	10	230,002	234,698	29,936	75	30	8	67,015	23,373	7,235
Kansas.....	60	36	6	137,700	80,431	10,492	² 22.4	² 17.0	² 13.5	32,929	25,976	17,942
Delaware.....	77	69	90	3,782	3,625	4,416	81	81	78	88	87	84
Maryland.....	73	69	75	15,187	16,240	16,480	82	62	75	1,563	1,400	1,188
Virginia.....	75	78	85	33,611	36,918	36,125	78	74	71	3,189	3,360	2,613
West Virginia.....	76	82	76	11,290	13,920	11,772	81	63	52	3,552	2,356	1,960
North Carolina.....	79	80	86	40,713	44,252	49,280	² 17.1	² 16.5	² 16.0	3,206	3,382	3,440
South Carolina.....	69	75	62	21,215	22,808	22,212	² 21.9	² 19.5	² 17.0	8,117	7,215	6,596
Georgia.....	71	68	68	37,678	39,270	41,621	² 18.7	² 18.0	² 19.0	5,778	5,310	6,354
Florida.....	78	61	74	6,373	5,884	6,373	² 14.0	² 11.5	² 13.0	126	80	91
Kentucky.....	74	78	82	63,954	68,175	67,366	76	59	53	3,187	1,952	1,624
Tennessee.....	72	79	76	58,880	66,035	56,902	74	69	62	1,778	1,748	1,395
Alabama.....	71	71	80	35,799	36,978	48,024	² 17.8	² 16.0	² 18.4	1,864	1,104	1,914
Mississippi.....	68	73	70	31,919	35,850	40,396	² 20.0	² 16.0	² 22.9	716	336	638
Arkansas.....	64	59	24	30,424	27,716	12,444	² 19.4	² 16.0	² 14.0	2,288	1,648	2,016
Louisiana.....	66	69	48	18,030	15,574	15,816	² 23.3	² 16.3	² 25.5	399	261	612
Oklahoma.....	60	26	10	53,843	19,485	8,728	² 21.0	² 18.5	² 15.5	25,684	21,478	19,794
Texas.....	66	51	32	81,615	74,824	54,084	² 25.4	² 17.5	² 22.0	37,043	20,808	34,012
Montana.....	64	46	26	1,933	2,472	1,836	65	36	46	8,697	6,511	5,933
Idaho.....	86	82	80	1,478	1,950	1,368	83	75	80	4,346	4,544	4,455
Wyoming.....	77	58	25	2,633	2,080	525	80	51	46	3,399	3,246	1,210
Colorado.....	69	57	18	24,119	22,044	3,606	75	61	39	5,262	4,131	2,034
New Mexico.....	68	60	29	3,747	3,332	1,712	66	67	41	789	836	540
Arizona.....	84	77	64	571	738	518	83	84	64	299	377	351
Utah.....	86	79	58	407	483	306	89	76	59	1,691	1,550	910
Nevada.....	90	65	84	48	44	40	88	84	73	82	90	46
Washington.....	80	78	74	1,233	1,558	1,224	80	81	70	7,292	9,487	7,138
Oregon.....	84	81	81	2,046	2,414	1,643	83	90	55	8,116	9,842	5,490
California.....	86	83	83	2,557	2,800	3,050	² 25.2	² 23.5	² 21.5	2,192	2,092	2,107
United States.....	71.5	61.9	43.5	2,516,397	2,343,883	1,484,602	³ 77.1	³ 48.3	³ 3.29	1,186,956	731,524	545,870

¹ Grain equivalent on acreage for all purposes.² Yield per acre.³ Allowance made for condition at harvest in Southern States.Indicated Production of Important Crops, Sept. 1, 1934¹

[Expressed as a percentage of the 5-year (1927-31) average production]

Corn.....	59.0	Potatoes, Irish.....	92.2
Wheat, winter.....	63.4	Potatoes, sweet.....	102.9
Wheat, durum.....	9.9	Tobacco.....	73.3
Wheat, other spring.....	45.0	Sugar cane, all, Louisiana.....	143.0
Cotton lint.....	63.1	Sugar beets.....	95.1
Oats.....	46.0	Broomcorn.....	61.2
Barley.....	45.5	Hops.....	125.7
Rye.....	42.2	Apples, total.....	71.5
Buckwheat.....	74.4	Peaches.....	78.9
Flax.....	28.1	Pears.....	102.6
Rice.....	83.6	Grapes, total.....	74.0
Grain sorgho, all.....	57.4	Apricots.....	65.1
Hay, tame.....	70.2	Prunes, dry.....	86.7
Hay, wild.....	46.5	Plums and fresh prunes.....	105.3
Beans, dry.....	78.4	Almonds.....	87.3
Peanuts, for nuts.....	113.4	Walnuts.....	106.3

¹ Certain minor States not included.

Corn.—The September 1 indicated production of 1,484,602,000 bushels of corn is about 92 percent of the August indicated production of 1,607,103,000 bushels, but only about 63 percent of the 1933 production of 2,343,883,000 bushels. The 5-year average (1927-31) was 2,516,307,000 bushels.

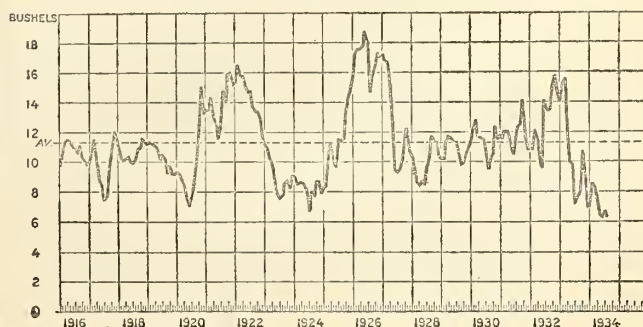
This forecast of production of corn for all purposes as indicated by conditions September 1 includes not only corn for grain but

the grain equivalent of corn to be utilized for forage, silage, and pasturage.

The unfavorable growing conditions of June and July continued through the early part of August, reducing prospects for the corn crop. August rains were too late to be of much benefit in most areas.

Hog and Corn Ratios, 1916-34

Number of Bushels of Corn Required to Buy 100 Pounds of Live Hogs Based on Averages of Farm Prices of Corn and Hogs for the Month



Estimated Crop Conditions Sept. 1, 1934, with Comparisons—Continued

State	Spring wheat other than durum						Barley						Buckwheat					
	Condition Sept. 1			Production			Condition Sept. 1			Production			Condition Sept. 1			Production		
	Average, 1922-31	1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934	Average, 1922-31	1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934	Average, 1922-31	1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934
	Per-cent	Per-cent	Per-cent	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	Per-cent	Per-cent	Per-cent	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	Per-cent	Per-cent	Per-cent	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
Maine.....	81	62	62	181	124	124	83	58	68	4,975	3,300	3,690	82	74	73	2,859	2,641	2,312
Vermont.....	81	62	62	181	124	124	80	67	82	31	28	30	79	79	89	20	15	20
New York.....	81	62	62	181	124	124	85	69	70	961	2,025	1,984	80	76	84	3,002	2,679	2,394
New Jersey.....	81	62	62	181	124	124	85	69	70	961	2,025	1,984	80	76	84	3,002	2,679	2,394
Pennsylvania.....	81	62	62	181	124	124	85	69	70	961	2,025	1,984	80	76	84	3,002	2,679	2,394
Ohio.....	76	66	56	242	80	45	82	38	39	3,963	660	304	82	64	80	451	372	298
Indiana.....	76	54	65	225	140	112	75	39	41	1,025	280	275	80	67	54	190	221	240
Illinois.....	77	54	30	2,761	826	308	84	41	24	11,627	4,785	1,331	80	63	60	68	75	66
Michigan.....	79	56	61	168	125	168	81	48	55	6,130	3,250	3,333	74	63	57	326	264	162
Wisconsin.....	82	69	68	1,258	1,152	1,290	87	59	70	21,288	17,710	17,784	78	69	68	231	187	297
Minnesota.....	175	55	50	14,420	13,415	10,458	82	46	48	48,121	28,675	25,808	73	57	45	721	128	91
Iowa.....	15.8	13.0	8.0	789	559	312	29.0	16.0	12.5	17,933	9,376	5,712	82	71	64	89	56	40
Missouri.....	74	70	26	149	39	14	77	56	18	237	135	71	75	16	11	11	3	3
North Dakota.....	164	44	17	63,503	50,735	18,650	69	36	19	39,577	18,300	9,336	67	25	20	213	6	5
South Dakota.....	160	23	20	21,191	3,924	2,748	69	20	16	32,485	3,451	3,333	67	5	11	201	5	6
Nebraska.....	73	47	9	2,553	3,312	1,076	74	36	7	13,439	8,390	2,400	72	82	1	9	11	2
Kansas.....	8.6	3.5	4.0	358	52	48	15.4	8.0	7.5	9,628	3,264	2,445	77	60	84	11	10	12
Delaware.....																		
Maryland.....							83	73	75	322	598	672	74	73	72	138	108	130
Virginia.....							84	76	77	380	833	906	76	79	86	182	169	196
West Virginia.....									63		92	95	79	83	79	407	407	378
North Carolina.....							18.5	16.0	16.0	336	272	304	78	82	79	66	68	76
Kentucky.....							80	81	70	160	276	260	76	70	68	23	16	20
Tennessee.....							78	78	72	256	378	346	76	81	79	27	21	26
Oklahoma.....							15.2	9.0	10.0	1,205	720	860						
Texas.....							18.3	10.0	13.0	3,472	1,720	2,678						
Montana.....	163	36	34	41,099	20,776	17,808	69	36	46	4,585	2,768	2,760						
Idaho.....	82	69	75	14,393	11,340	11,684	84	68	77	4,319	4,147	4,355						
Wyoming.....	76	45	38	2,332	1,330	791	81	56	50	2,305	1,729	1,050						
Colorado.....	70	53	35	4,653	3,500	1,568	72	47	31	9,966	6,880	2,838						
New Mexico.....	70	65	40	416	275	176	67	65	43	168	234	156						
Arizona.....							89	86	71	296	700	667						
Utah.....	87	71	63	2,186	1,739	1,330	87	79	67	1,401	1,147	700						
Nevada.....	88	79	88	283	330	240	89	90	92	237	150	150						
Washington.....	67	81	71	16,001	33,159	14,205	75	83	72	1,813	2,590	1,560						
Oregon.....	78	77	59	3,415	13,104	3,333	81	84	67	2,262	3,334	2,125						
California.....							26.4	26.2	21.0	25,320	24,471	22,365						
United States.....	68.6	50.7	32.8	192,838	160,261	86,682	75.5	47.6	40.2	270,444	156,988	122,963	79.5	72.8	73.1	9,496	7,832	7,061

1 Short-time average.

2 Yield per acre.

3 All spring wheat.

4 Allowance made for condition at harvest in Southern States.

Hog-Corn Ratios, 1910-34

Number of Bushels of Corn Required to Buy 100 Pounds of Live Hogs Based on Averages of Farm Prices of Corn and Hogs for the Month

Year	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Average
1910.....	12.2	12.0	13.6	14.4	13.3	12.9	12.2	11.6	13.0	14.2	15.1	14.9	13.3
1911.....	15.3	14.4	13.7	12.1	10.7	9.8	9.4	9.9	9.9	9.3	9.3	9.2	11.1
1912.....	9.1	8.8	8.6	9.0	8.4	8.1	8.3	9.1	10.1	12.0	13.2	14.1	9.9
1913.....	13.6	13.9	14.4	14.4	12.7	12.3	12.1	11.1	10.2	10.4	10.5	10.3	12.2
1914.....	10.8	11.3	11.2	10.9	10.3	9.9	10.1	10.2	10.2	10.0	10.4	10.2	10.5
1915.....	9.5	8.6	8.4	8.5	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.5	9.2	10.8	10.6	10.1	9.2
1916.....	9.8	10.5	11.4	11.5	11.4	11.0	10.9	10.6	11.1	10.4	10.0	9.8	10.7
1917.....	9.9	10.5	11.5	10.3	8.8	8.3	7.4	7.7	9.0	10.1	11.2	12.0	9.7
1918.....	11.2	10.3	10.1	10.2	10.3	10.0	9.9	10.4	10.8	11.0	11.5	11.3	10.6
1919.....	11.1	11.3	11.2	11.1	10.8	10.2	10.5	10.2	9.3	9.7	10.0	9.2	10.4
1920.....	9.3	9.2	8.8	8.4	7.6	7.1	7.8	8.5	10.1	13.0	15.1	13.3	9.8
1921.....	13.5	13.5	14.3	13.0	12.5	11.6	13.0	14.8	14.0	15.9	16.0	15.2	13.9
1922.....	15.4	16.4	16.3	15.1	14.9	14.7	14.4	13.4	13.2	13.4	12.1	11.3	14.2
1923.....	11.1	10.6	10.0	9.4	8.5	7.4	7.7	7.9	9.1	8.5	8.5	8.9	9.0
1924.....	9.0	8.5	8.6	8.6	8.5	8.1	6.7	8.0	7.7	8.7	8.7	7.9	8.2
1925.....	8.3	8.4	10.6	11.2	10.0	9.7	11.5	11.4	11.6	13.4	14.3	14.9	11.3
1926.....	15.8	17.2	17.5	17.5	17.8	18.7	17.7	14.7	15.8	16.2	17.3	17.0	16.9
1927.....	17.1	16.8	16.7	15.9	12.9	9.4	9.3	9.5	10.3	11.6	12.2	10.8	12.7
1928.....	10.4	9.6	8.7	8.4	8.6	8.5	9.4	10.2	11.7	11.3	11.3	10.4	9.9
1929.....	10.2	10.2	11.3	11.7	11.6	11.3	11.3	10.7	9.8	9.9	10.5	10.9	10.8
1930.....	11.4	12.2	12.8	11.7	11.6	11.5	10.9	9.5	10.3	10.7	12.4	11.5	11.4
1931.....	11.8	11.6	12.0	12.0	11.3	10.6	11.5	12.3	12.6	14.1	11.9	10.9	11.9
1932.....	11.2	10.9	12.1	11.4	9.8	9.6	14.1	13.4	13.5	15.0	15.7	14.5	12.6
1933.....	14.0	15.2	15.6	11.4	10.0	9.9	7.2	7.8	8.0	10.7	9.1	7.0	10.5
1934.....	7.0	8.5	8.2	7.4	6.5	6.3	6.7	6.3					

Wheat Production by Classes, for the United States, 1929-34

Year	Winter		Spring		White (winter and spring)	Total
	Hard red	Soft red	Hard red	Durum		
	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
1929.....	370,390	166,430	144,712	56,307	84,341	822,180
1930.....	403,363	178,794	160,594	59,191	87,760	889,702
1931.....	515,925	254,480	70,376	21,256	70,174	932,221
1932.....	277,450	149,425	191,444	41,607	84,150	744,076
1933.....	169,915	147,262	103,915	17,443	89,443	527,978
1934 ¹	201,473	163,245	57,606	6,627	64,334	493,285

1 Indicated Sept. 1, 1934.

Durum Wheat

State	Condition Sept. 1			Production		
	Average, 1923-31	1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934
	Percent	Percent	Percent	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
Minnesota.....	79	56	60	3,270	880	954
North Dakota.....	69	48	23	44,028	14,651	4,604
South Dakota.....	68	19	13	13,890	326	348
Montana.....	63	38	30	273	252	175
4 States.....	69.3	46.2	24.5	61,460	16,109	6,081

Estimated Crop Conditions Sept. 1, 1934, with Comparisons—Continued

State	Flaxseed						Grain sorghums ¹						Beans, dry, edible						Broomcorn					
	Condition Sept. 1			Production			Condition Sept. 1			Production			Condition Sept. 1			Production			Condition Sept. 1			Production		
	Average, 1922-31	1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934	Average, 1922-31	1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934	Average, 1922-31	1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934	Average, 1922-31	1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934
	Percent	Percent	Percent	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	Percent	Percent	Percent	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	Percent	Percent	Percent	1,000 bags ²	1,000 bags ²	1,000 bags ²	Percent	Percent	Percent	Tons	Tons	Tons
Maine																								
Vermont																								
New York																								
Illinois																								
Michigan																								
Wisconsin	82	71	72	92	40	50																		
Minnesota	79	49	46	6,241	4,365	3,480																		
Iowa	83	60	52	184	196	156																		
Missouri	78	70	15	15	11	5	79	68	27	1,182	1,408	654												
North Dakota	65	35	18	7,351	1,677	830																		
South Dakota	65	15	14	3,065	115	100																		
Nebraska	77	65	1	91	12	4	80	70	12	331	574	370	77	65	27	51	115	67						
Kansas	6.2	6.2	5.5	215	223	286	71	52	14	17,578	16,070	6,428				51	47	17	74	34	14	6,520	4,100	1,500
Oklahoma							66	51	19	14,386	11,900	6,300							65	61	34	19,120	12,100	7,400
Texas							70	60	27	50,732	46,508	33,824							68	63	38	1,420	1,200	2,200
Montana	61	26	17	1,329	162	98																		
Idaho																								
Wyoming	73	38	10	81	5	4																		
Colorado							74	57	23	2,301	2,130	900	85	85	70	1,565	1,670	1,162						
New Mexico																								
Arizona							89	78	74	709	1,050	840	86	74	69	33	38	42						
Oregon																								
California																								
United States	68.0	41.6	35.1	18,664	6,806	5,253	70.1	57.4	23.8	93,955	87,884	53,912	69.9	67.0	55.5	11,594	12,280	9,094	69.8	45.8	35.6	47,260	31,800	28,900

State	Rice						Peanuts (for nuts)						Pecans						Hops					
	Condition Sept. 1			Production			Condition Sept. 1			Production			Condition Sept. 1			Production			Condition Sept. 1			Production		
	Average, 1922-31	1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934	Average, 1922-31	1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934	Average, 1922-31	1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934	Average, 1922-31	1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934
	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.
Ill.																								
Mo.																								
Va.																								
N.C.																								
S.C.																								
Ga.																								
Fla.																								
Tenn.																								
Ala.																								
Miss.																								
Ark.	82	77	78	8,379	7,344	6,936	25	116	29	68	80	43	8,050	13,250	14,500	56	66	48	1,710	2,160	1,350			
La.	79	81	83	18,537	14,760	15,036	15	113	17	70	77	53	6,175	9,750	6,800	54	65	39	4,850	7,000	2,015			
Okl.							31	139	43	69	73	26	22,886	21,700	17,200	51	42	36	11,340	9,500	7,500			
Tex.	86	87	87	8,913	7,473	7,590	167	96	160	65	66	37	71,470	103,540	48,000	40	48	36	20,720	24,000	12,000			
Wash.																								
Oreg.																								
Calif.	88	86	89	7,823	6,042	6,930																		
U.S.	82.2	82.3	83.9	43,651	35,619	36,492	1,361	112.8	1,535	73.2	70.6	70.3	904,222	920,505	1,025,480	48.2	51.7	40.5	56,222	61,210	35,801	85.2	90.2	76.3

¹ Grain equivalent on acreage for all purposes.² Bags of 100 lb.³ Short-time average.⁴ Less than 100 tons.⁵ Yield per acre.

Flaxseed.—It now appears almost certain, based on the September 1, 1934, condition of flaxseed, that this year's crop will be the lowest ever recorded. Forecast production is only 5,253,000 bushels and the September 1 condition of 35.1 percent of normal is the second lowest on record.

Drought and withering temperatures, especially in the important flaxseed States, the Dakotas and Montana, took a heavy toll and were followed in late August by some frost damage.

Minnesota, while more fortunate, also suffered from the drought and extreme heat, but not as much as the other important producing areas.

The indicated yield per acre on September 1 was placed at 4.6 bushels or a total production of 5,253,000 bushels, compared

with 6,806,000, the small 1933 crop, and 18,664,000 bushels, the 5-year average (1927-31).

Grain Sorghums.—The condition of grain sorghums on September 1 was 23.8 percent compared with 57.4 a year ago and the 1922-31 average September 1 condition of 70.1 percent. This condition indicates a production of 53,912,000 bushels. Production last year was 87,884,000 bushels, and the average for 1927-31, inclusive, was 93,955,000 bushels. Condition in the main producing States of Texas and Oklahoma was 27 and 19 percent, respectively. Late August rains resulted in an improvement in the Oklahoma crop, while prospective production in Texas is unchanged from that of August 1. The outlook in many of the minor producing States declined during August. The indicated United States crop is only slightly less than was forecast a month ago.

Estimated Crop Conditions Sept. 1, 1934, with Comparisons—Continued

State	Tame hay						Wild hay						Alfalfa hay ¹						Pasture		
	Condition Sept. 1			Production			Yield per acre			Production			Condition Sept. 1			Production			Condition Sept. 1		
	Aver- age, 1923- 31	1933	1934	Aver- age, 1927- 31	1933	Indi- cated Sept. 1, 1934	Aver- age, 1922- 31	1933	1934	Aver- age, 1927- 31	1933	Sept. 1934, pre- limi- nary esti- mate	Aver- age, 1923- 31	1933	1934	Aver- age, 1927- 31	1933	Indi- cated Sept. 1, 1934	Aver- age, 1922- 31	1933	1934
	Per- cent	Per- cent	Per- cent	1,000 tons	1,000 tons	1,000 tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	1,000 tons	1,000 tons	1,000 tons	Per- cent	Per- cent	Per- cent	1,000 tons	1,000 tons	1,000 tons	Per- cent	Per- cent	Per- cent
Maine.....	91	74	75	932	804	771	0.95	0.80	0.80	5	4	4	90	81	77	16	24	22	84	75	60
New Hampshire.....	93	83	83	392	322	323	.87	.80	.95	5	3	4	92	89	82	7	9	6	85	73	61
Vermont.....	97	73	73	1,150	962	954	.93	.80	.80	6	5	5	90	75	73	19	21	19	89	66	59
Massachusetts.....	87	79	82	469	433	411	.97	1.00	1.00	7	5	6	88	85	77	13	18	14	81	75	68
Rhode Island.....	86	88	85	46	44	43	.86	1.00	1.05	1	1	1	90	84	89	² 5	5	4	79	73	62
Connecticut.....	86	85	89	359	328	321	1.09	1.10	1.10	6	4	4	87	84	85	21	30	31	78	75	73
New York.....	88	75	60	5,352	4,576	3,407	1.00	.95	.80	49	36	30	86	77	66	413	626	542	77	63	49
New Jersey.....	81	86	89	362	350	350	1.30	1.50	1.35	17	20	18	83	86	88	65	95	96	77	83	79
Pennsylvania.....	85	83	67	3,418	3,107	2,524	.92	.80	.65	12	7	6	84	85	85	135	275	261	75	70	76
Ohio.....	79	66	49	3,017	2,378	1,916	.97	.70	.45	3	2	1	83	65	71	334	480	518	76	52	65
Indiana.....	76	63	47	2,053	1,795	1,606	.92	.85	.50	9	8	4	83	69	69	289	387	381	74	48	55
Illinois.....	77	64	41	3,215	2,824	2,195	.86	.80	.50	19	17	12	83	75	71	433	741	762	72	45	47
Michigan.....	77	71	42	2,935	3,059	1,888	1.08	.95	.80	37	29	30	80	74	53	857	1,442	1,136	62	39	33
Wisconsin.....	80	61	42	5,030	3,685	2,869	1.20	1.10	.90	248	374	306	82	77	55	725	1,111	898	68	43	42
Minnesota.....	74	56	34	3,595	3,130	1,872	.97	.70	.45	1,887	1,240	678	79	55	36	1,280	1,318	700	65	38	33
Iowa.....	81	71	35	4,228	4,295	2,507	.99	.90	.60	209	147	93	85	76	59	1,057	1,472	1,120	76	60	39
Missouri.....	78	60	25	3,150	2,547	1,369	1.03	.75	.50	132	105	70	80	77	44	308	396	264	75	55	18
North Dakota.....	72	46	14	1,323	919	463	.80	.60	.30	1,394	1,028	411	72	40	15	336	201	94	67	30	16
South Dakota.....	63	29	20	1,243	778	443	.60	.50	.40	1,377	628	452	62	31	23	918	483	272	63	31	14
Nebraska.....	74	61	17	2,649	2,858	1,647	.73	.60	.35	2,100	1,760	924	73	64	22	2,120	2,169	1,326	73	64	22
Kansas.....	72	57	18	2,040	1,608	1,139	.94	.68	.50	927	486	339	68	62	19	1,539	1,128	851	74	57	10
Delaware.....	79	81	86	92	122	118	1.16	1.15	1.20	3	3	4	83	86	84	14	21	19	73	80	84
Maryland.....	77	75	85	479	529	544	.92	.85	.80	2	3	2	78	79	81	48	68	64	71	78	73
Virginia.....	73	79	76	921	992	899	.75	.90	1.00	8	8	8	74	81	80	73	90	84	79	88	90
West Virginia.....	73	80	50	683	690	368	.95	.95	.65	7	5	3	78	80	70	16	24	20	81	82	76
North Carolina.....	77	74	86	563	553	664	1.03	.95	.26	20	19	19	77	70	87	10	11	14	81	79	91
South Carolina.....	66	67	74	183	195	206	.60	.70	.80	8	8	10	64	65	70	4	3	4	70	66	73
Georgia.....	67	65	73	347	358	444	.88	.95	.95	19	17	17	68	62	79	7	7	8	71	66	79
Florida.....	84	77	80	45	35	40	.84	.60	.60	3	2	2	78	76	74	141	202	194	87	79	84
Kentucky.....	77	75	63	1,154	1,260	966	.93	1.00	.90	24	7	7	78	76	74	141	202	194	76	79	82
Tennessee.....	74	76	68	1,134	1,132	975	.79	.75	.70	36	30	31	76	77	74	37	65	51	74	77	71
Alabama.....	70	72	79	361	346	482	.76	.75	.70	32	32	27	67	56	63	6	5	7	72	74	83
Mississippi.....	69	75	69	355	363	407	1.02	1.00	1.00	39	38	38	67	64	68	43	38	42	74	75	71
Arkansas.....	70	73	37	580	704	571	1.04	1.05	.70	146	176	118	71	69	45	108	133	133	67	74	28
Louisiana.....	70	83	65	228	198	199	1.09	1.20	.63	20	31	17	69	65	54	29	25	33	73	85	63
Oklahoma.....	67	58	25	602	591	455	.95	.70	.50	488	316	234	64	57	32	363	345	308	65	61	17
Texas.....	70	64	34	534	508	453	.92	.80	.60	176	174	137	72	72	52	117	150	122	63	65	21
Montana.....	74	58	48	2,025	1,934	1,400	.85	.75	.60	534	499	280	76	65	57	1,309	1,375	1,032	74	51	35
Idaho.....	83	71	72	2,300	2,329	1,932	1.16	1.00	.85	106	96	73	83	78	73	1,926	1,960	1,786	77	69	53
Wyoming.....	84	71	57	921	1,023	772	.88	1.00	.40	265	166	88	81	73	63	579	606	534	87	62	39
Colorado.....	79	74	46	2,137	1,993	1,288	1.00	1.10	.75	354	410	252	77	75	51	1,579	1,355	864	81	66	35
New Mexico.....	82	71	43	330	352	276	.86	.75	.60	20	17	12	85	80	69	261	274	239	78	69	29
Arizona.....	88	80	72	337	380	305	.78	.90	.80	8	9	8	87	77	74	307	342	289	84	74	69
Utah.....	85	78	45	1,232	1,249	605	1.06	1.10	.85	70	69	42	82	75	44	1,153	1,164	545	77	64	27
Nevada.....	82	76	60	392	362	183	.96	.90	.70	118	104	52	82	76	56	314	294	139	78	70	36
Washington.....	83	74	82	1,682	1,443	1,659	1.29	1.15	1.35	40	33	42	82	63	81	679	562	676	67	61	59
Oregon.....	86	76	79	1,661	1,603	1,762	.84	1.10	1.10	224	328	262	85	77	76	649	585	517	74	62	57
California.....	85	78	76	4,004	3,937	3,726	1.08	1.00	.85	143	122	104	87	81	78	2,902	2,772	2,442	75	62	56
United States.....	78.8	67.3	45.1	72,250	65,983	50,727	.83	.70	.49	11,368	8,633	5,287	77.8	69.2	48.5	23,611	24,907	19,483	72.6	59.5	43.1

¹ Included in tame hay.² Short-time average.

Hay.—Production of hay is forecast as of September 1 at 56,014,000 tons—a 4.4 percent increase above August 1 indications—but still one-fourth less than the previous smallest crop in the 15-year period for which comparable records are available. In 1933, 74,616,000 tons were harvested from 66,262,000 acres. In 1931, 73,708,000 tons were harvested from 66,389,000 acres and in 1930 (also a drought year) 74,310,000 tons from 66,416,000 acres. The 5-year (1927-31) average crop was 83,618,000 tons from 67,838,000 acres.

The acreage that will finally actually be cut for hay in 1934 is more uncertain than usual at this time of year. In surplus areas, vegetation not ordinarily saved is being cut for hay and forage. In areas of shortage, every possible scrap is being saved—including plants usually considered as weeds. An increase in feed from pastures, including fall sown grain, will probably permit making some hay from fields which would otherwise have been entirely grazed off. The yields of late hay crops per acre will also likely be slightly larger than was anticipated a month ago.

Better late cuttings of alfalfa hay indicate a production of 19,483,000 tons (469,000 tons more than the August 1 forecast) of that kind of hay, compared with 24,907,000 tons harvested in 1933 and a 5-year (1927-31) average crop of 23,611,000 tons.

Alfalfa Meal Production, United States, 1934-35, with Comparisons

Month	1934-35		1933-34		1932-33	
	Monthly	Cumulative	Monthly	Cumulative	Monthly	Cumulative
June.....	Short tons 24,594	Short tons 24,594	Short tons 26,701	Short tons 26,701	Short tons 14,803	Short tons 14,803
July.....	21,814	46,408	21,762	48,463	17,008	31,811
August.....	¹ 20,599	67,007	18,127	66,590	15,446	47,257
September.....	-----	-----	18,660	85,250	19,145	66,402
October.....	-----	-----	22,090	107,340	18,117	84,519
November.....	-----	-----	16,639	123,979	12,388	96,907
December.....	-----	-----	16,222	140,201	12,933	109,849
January.....	-----	-----	15,299	155,500	10,963	120,903
February.....	-----	-----	12,324	167,824	10,119	130,922
March.....	-----	-----	11,584	179,408	10,067	140,989
April.....	-----	-----	12,278	191,686	12,245	153,234
May.....	-----	-----	14,747	206,433	15,969	169,203
Monthly average.....	-----	-----	17,203	-----	14,100	-----

¹ Preliminary.

Estimated Crop Conditions Sept. 1, 1934, with Comparisons—Continued

State	All clover and timothy hay ¹						Soybeans			Cowpeas			Sugar beets					
	Yield per acre			Production			Condition Sept. 1			Condition Sept. 1			Condition Sept. 1			Production		
	Average, 1922-31	1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1933	September 1934 preliminary estimate	Average, 1923-31	1933	1934	Average, 1923-31	1933	1934	Average, 1922-31	1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934
	Tons	Tons	Tons	1,000 tons	1,000 tons	1,000 tons	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	1,000 short tons	1,000 short tons	1,000 short tons
Maine.....	0.99	0.90	0.85	666	560	529												
New Hampshire.....	1.19	1.10	1.08	254	198	199												
Vermont.....	1.26	1.08	1.08	911	743	728												
Massachusetts.....	1.46	1.45	1.30	342	328	296												
Rhode Island.....	1.32	1.30	1.35	30	27	30												
Connecticut.....	1.38	1.40	1.48	197	183	195												
New York.....	1.22	1.10	.85	4,340	3,422	2,618	80	71	78									
New Jersey.....	1.49	1.60	1.80	261	214	243	83	85	93	85	85	90						
Pennsylvania.....	1.26	1.25	1.00	3,096	2,671	2,116	82	81	85									
Ohio.....	1.06	.85	.60	2,516	1,744	1,256	83	67	76	84	90	79	83	67	57	231	328	330
Indiana.....	1.07	.95	.70	1,343	1,004	755	83	63	75	78	70	83						
Illinois.....	1.13	1.10	.55	2,043	1,476	650	81	52	77	76	52	80						
Michigan.....	1.04	1.00	.55	1,916	1,462	756	78	70	60				75	69	70	509	1,203	935
Wisconsin.....	1.40	1.05	.70	4,117	2,103	1,051	80	78	73				81	83	76			187
Minnesota.....	1.23	1.00	.50	1,799	1,093	410												
Iowa.....	1.21	1.05	.50	2,856	2,426	924	88	85	65									
Missouri.....	.87	.75	.50	2,220	1,365	819	84	71	41	78	70	50						
North Dakota.....	1.12	.80	.40	77	27	9												
South Dakota.....	.94	.65	.40	68	8	2												
Nebraska.....	1.12	1.00	.40	152	113	32							91	88	58	1,028	1,067	653
Kansas.....	1.10	.95	.60	226	140	69	79	76	31	77	77	31						
Delaware.....	1.28	1.65	1.60	60	71	69	83	84	89	82	83	86						
Maryland.....	1.14	1.20	1.35	369	371	421	82	83	86	81	81	85						
Virginia.....	1.00	1.25	.95	531	568	440	79	84	89	76	84	85						
West Virginia.....	1.02	1.07	.55	518	491	245	83	85	81	83	81	81						
North Carolina.....	1.00	.95	1.00	93	68	58	83	80	87	76	76	82						
South Carolina.....							69	75	73	66	67	72						
Georgia.....							69	69	75	65	59	67						
Florida.....										82	72	75						
Kentucky.....	1.00	1.00	.85	500	456	337	80	80	84	78	82	82						
Tennessee.....	1.04	1.00	.90	381	289	248	77	79	78	75	77	73						
Alabama.....							71	70	75	68	67	71						
Mississippi.....							73	77	73	67	70	69						
Arkansas.....							71	77	47	68	79	38						
Louisiana.....							74	84	71	67	77	58						
Oklahoma.....							70	73	24	70	70	25						
Texas.....										65	72	28						
Montana.....	1.60	1.00	.80	348	253	192							88	89	81	439	838	651
Idaho.....	1.30	1.45	1.15	240	246	182							80	92	40	383	837	315
Wyoming.....	1.41	1.00	.90	138	116	89							93	87	70	516	593	331
Colorado.....	1.48	1.30	1.25	271	246	236							87	85	55	2,725	2,628	1,770
New Mexico.....	1.24	2.00	1.00	14	22	10												
Utah.....	1.60	1.50	.90	48	57	27							79	87	21	587	912	252
Nevada.....	1.28	1.20	1.00	41	36	25												
Washington.....	2.10	1.90	2.20	399	285	363												
Oregon.....	1.58	1.40	1.70	220	188	308												
California.....													81	87	86	697	1,618	1,375
Other States ²													83	80	60	739	1,006	616
United States.....	1.16	1.05	.77	33,603	25,070	16,937	80.5	68.4	70.0	69.5	68.7	64.7	84.3	83.4	59.8	7,854	11,030	7,468

¹ Included in tame hay; excludes sweetclover and lespedeza and does not include minor States.² States producing sugar beets for which figures are not shown above.

Soybeans (for Grain)

State	Production ¹			
	Average, 1927-31	1932	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934
	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
Ohio.....	443	388	336	368
Indiana.....	1,673	2,144	1,650	2,115
Illinois.....	4,144	6,300	4,350	6,369
Iowa.....	559	828	1,394	1,400
Missouri.....	1,026	1,112	1,518	690
North Carolina.....	1,320	960	836	1,218
6 States.....	9,166	11,732	10,084	12,160

¹ In leading commercial producing States.

The corn equivalent of silage, fodder, and hogged-off corn is unusually low this year on account of the absence of ears and premature drying up of the stalks in the drought areas.

Soybeans.—The condition of soybeans reported at 70 percent of normal, improved in the North Central and South Atlantic States as the result of August rains. In the South Central States, however, the condition shows little change since August 1. September condition last year was 68.4 percent and the 9-year (1923-31) average 80.5 percent. Soybean production for grain in the six States producing about 87 percent of the total crop in 1933 is estimated to be 12,160,000 bushels which is an increase of approximately 20 percent over the 1933 crop in these States of 10,084,000 bushels, but only 4 percent above the 1932 crop of 11,732,000 bushels. The acreage to be harvested for grain is estimated at 849,000 acres compared with 711,000 acres last year and 689,000 acres in 1932. August rains caused considerable improvement in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, and Iowa, but in Missouri rains were insufficient or too late to improve the crop materially. A large acreage will be cut for hay this year in these States.

Cowpeas.—Condition of cowpeas improved during August in all except the South Central States where rains were insufficient or too late. The condition is reported at 64.7 percent of normal compared with 68.7 percent last year and 69.5 the 9-year (1923-31) average.

Estimated Crop Conditions Sept. 1, 1934, with Comparisons—Continued

State	Sweetpotatoes						Tobacco						Peaches					
	Condition Sept. 1			Production			Condition Sept. 1			Production			Condition Sept. 1			Production		
	Average, 1922-31	1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934	Average, 1922-31	1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934	Average, 1922-31	1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934
	Per-cent	Per-cent	Per-cent	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	Per-cent	Per-cent	Per-cent	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	Per-cent	Per-cent	Per-cent	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
New Hampshire							84	79	88	10,769	5,620	4,402	67	71	4	19	18	1
Massachusetts													64	62	2	141	134	6
Rhode Island													71	53	9	30	26	4
Connecticut							82	80	92	29,900	18,578	14,162	68	58	1	195	172	5
New York							79	71	85	1,156	720	550	65	50	2	1,472	1,092	62
New Jersey	83	88	88	1,580	1,925	1,496							70	57	1	1,727	987	22
Pennsylvania							80	49	79	49,463	25,330	24,701	52	43	16	1,568	1,144	416
Ohio							75	56	75	37,573	25,015	23,188	49	19	10	1,142	456	228
Indiana	77	53	70	337	400	440	73	54	72	12,826	10,585	8,578	50	21	11	700	221	128
Illinois	75	52	56	478	420	546							49	35	12	1,893	1,522	470
Michigan							54	10	16	1,175	215	346						
Wisconsin							79	74	83	46,223	16,023	13,754						
Minnesota							84	75	56	1,759	270	240						
Iowa	80	72	47	231	270	165							42	4	17	64	7	28
Missouri	75	61	38	847	750	550	80	76	27	5,185	7,412	3,465	41	12	23	621	204	334
Nebraska													42	6	5	43	4	5
Kansas	77	65	19	531	490	307							38	1	11	175	14	63
Delaware	81	76	83	898	910	810							64	46	12	301	205	64
Maryland	79	78	80	1,493	840	675	74	64	87	23,638	20,400	24,480	59	47	9	514	400	82
Virginia	77	79	79	4,602	3,885	4,080	75	81	85	114,122	97,046	83,700	48	56	22	858	990	378
West Virginia							75	79	65	4,248	4,322	3,400	41	38	7	494	396	77
North Carolina	79	76	81	6,794	7,905	8,300	78	82	78	506,763	537,979	400,900	161	165	168	1,857	2,112	2,312
South Carolina	72	69	69	4,247	4,648	4,617	70	80	72	83,820	88,580	54,020	164	171	170	1,172	1,633	1,610
Georgia	72	69	72	6,488	7,600	7,084	76	76	61	79,410	58,124	31,983	169	164	166	2 6,363	5,440	5,610
Florida	80	72	74	1,710	1,470	1,600	83	82	78	8,751	4,822	4,414	167	152	165	73	57	68
Kentucky	78	75	75	1,331	1,840	1,584	72	72	80	347,291	330,715	278,590	48	18	31	591	216	392
Tennessee	76	71	71	5,165	4,500	4,950	75	76	78	107,514	133,438	103,485	54	22	80	1,459	580	2,418
Alabama	74	69	80	5,929	5,396	7,392							159	155	166	976	908	1,089
Mississippi	73	73	75	5,352	5,670	6,460							162	147	171	648	494	781
Arkansas	67	75	33	2,363	2,380	2,210							158	121	156	1,647	672	1,848
Louisiana	71	73	62	5,253	5,180	5,092	79	80	50	147	128	105	155	142	152	191	158	198
Oklahoma	66	67	24	1,461	1,404	610							139	16	134	545	108	612
Texas	59	67	29	4,200	6,240	4,140							148	123	139	1,384	782	1,287
Idaho													53	18	49	135	51	99
Colorado													69	39	90	906	578	1,386
New Mexico													40	6	52	78	13	112
Arizona													69	70	51	73	67	48
Utah													61	9	65	587	62	555
Nevada													53	12	41	5	2	5
Washington													60	15	76	927	240	1,232
Oregon													61	53	80	241	227	357
California	82	83	80	1,043	950	1,045							76	78	75	2 23,294	2 22,085	20,919
Clingstone ³													71	79	76	2 15,460	2 14,626	13,668
Freestone ⁴													76	77	74	2 7,834	7,459	7,251
United States	73.0	71.8	62.5	62,386	65,073	64,176	75.6	75.3	77.8	1,470,556	1,385,107	1,078,117	62.4	60.9	62.1	2 56,282	2 44,692	45,687

¹ Production in percentage of a full crop and average 1922-31 for Southern States.

² Includes some quantities not harvested on account of market conditions as follows: 1927—2,709,000 bushels clingstone; 1928—2,917,000 bushels clingstone in California and 925,000 bushels in Georgia; 1930—10,139,000 clingstone, including 6,180,000 sold but left on the trees and 500,000 freestone; 1931—8,063,000 clingstone, including 3,938,000 sold but left on the trees; 1933—3,647,000 clingstone, including 1,480,000 sold but left on the trees.

³ Mainly for canning.

⁴ Short-time average.

⁵ Mainly for drying.

⁶ Allowance made for condition at harvest in Southern States.

Plums and Prunes

Crop and State	Condition Sept. 1				Production			
	Average, 1922-31	1932	1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1932	1933	Indicated Sept. 1 1934
FRESH BASIS								
Plums:	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons
Michigan	55	55	43	54	6,026	7,140	5,320	6,720
California	174	177	168	173	2 62,000	2 68,000	2 57,000	2 61,000
Prunes (for use fresh):								
Oregon	4 55	83	56	84	23,680	36,000	28,000	37,202
Washington	4 62	80	61	78	16,455	21,500	22,370	19,293
Idaho	4 70	79	22	54	21,960	26,000	5,000	13,200
DRY BASIS								
Prunes (for drying): ⁵								
California	67	61	61	57	2 207,260	2 172,000	182,000	170,000
Oregon	4 62	45	44	62	2 24,700	20,000	15,000	31,000
Washington	4 75	37	34	74	3,881	3,000	1,750	3,520

¹ Production in percentage of a full crop.

² Includes some quantities not harvested on account of market conditions as follows: Plums, California—7,000 tons in 1931, 10,000 in 1932, and 7,000 in 1933; prunes (for drying), California—13,000 tons in 1930 and 4,000 in 1932; Oregon—8,000 tons in 1930.

³ Preliminary estimate.

⁴ Short-time average.

⁵ To convert California estimates to fresh fruit basis, multiply by 2½. In the other States, the ratio ranges from 3 to 4 (fresh) to 1 dried.

Miscellaneous Fruits and Nuts in California, Oregon, and Florida

State and crop	Condition Sept. 1				Production			
	Average, 1922-31	1932	1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1932	1933	Indicated Sept. 1 1934
California:	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons
Apricots	171	177	170	139	2 215,000	2 270,000	268,000	3 140,000
Figs, dried ⁴	80	70	71	68	15,700	17,000	19,000	-----
Figs, not dried	59	70	38	43	6,586	6,500	5,900	-----
Olives	68	68	63	49	20,480	22,000	14,000	-----
Almonds	80	88	69	72	11,800	14,000	12,900	10,300
Walnuts					34,800	45,500	32,000	37,000
Oregon:								
Filberts		71	75	83	227	425	1,000	936
Walnuts		79	41	84	1,250	3,000	1,000	3,200
Florida:					Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales
Avocados	57	70	63	60	70,000	6 70,000	6 110,000	-----
Pineapples	191	164	176	176	13,200	5,000	7,500	-----

¹ Production in percentage of a full crop.

² Includes 8,300 tons in 1930, 4,000 in 1931, and 13,000 in 1932 not harvested on account of market conditions.

³ Preliminary estimate.

⁴ Estimated production includes some quantities of figs not of merchantable quality.

⁵ Short-time average.

⁶ Crates of 40 lb.

Estimated Crop Conditions Sept. 1, 1934, with Comparisons—Continued

State	Apples									Pears						Grapes					
	Condition Sept. 1			Total production			Commercial production			Condition Sept. 1			Production			Condition Sept. 1			Production		
	Average, 1922-31	1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934	Average, 1927-31	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934	Average, 1922-31	1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934	Average, 1922-31	1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934
	Per-cent	Per-cent	Per-cent	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	Per-cent	Per-cent	Per-cent	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	Per-cent	Per-cent	Per-cent	Tons	Tons	Tons
Maine	55	63	21	1,661	1,884	530	1,129	1,017	359	66	67	23	13	11	3	75	73	38	29	24	12
New Hampshire	62	75	28	877	1,131	275	597	849	207	73	87	39	12	12	5	82	80	47	48	43	23
Vermont	63	68	20	789	1,027	255	507	675	190	66	71	21	9	7	3	78	84	19	36	31	9
Massachusetts	64	75	38	2,535	3,456	1,476	1,808	2,490	1,116	68	70	50	54	57	38	81	79	70	360	353	336
Rhode Island	63	77	22	309	350	97	205	231	76	71	72	42	8	8	4	83	73	59	239	207	154
Connecticut	62	63	26	966	1,184	341	659	855	264	71	70	55	23	20	14	83	73	65	1,207	1,240	1,008
New York	54	48	32	16,830	16,060	10,800	11,689	9,600	7,800	56	43	53	1,178	900	1,034	76	59	45	76,540	64,800	47,250
New Jersey	68	59	35	3,191	3,330	1,552	2,188	2,145	1,080	65	48	43	111	71	61	84	73	66	2,835	2,535	2,541
Pennsylvania	52	41	40	8,909	7,293	7,098	3,523	2,154	2,242	61	58	56	354	366	334	76	59	58	22,798	17,808	17,649
Ohio	50	31	28	6,653	4,386	3,888	1,975	1,260	1,350	59	47	61	341	336	389	74	75	66	23,724	27,412	24,104
Indiana	54	26	20	1,895	819	690	642	234	207	58	32	49	201	100	135	71	67	67	2,608	2,590	2,479
Illinois	57	29	23	4,728	2,200	1,692	3,175	1,600	1,260	54	34	45	499	320	462	72	70	58	5,223	5,986	4,510
Michigan	54	58	42	6,261	8,651	5,521	3,990	5,184	3,608	56	40	62	546	532	674	69	68	69	57,150	58,562	57,122
Wisconsin	65	66	41	1,661	1,938	1,036	390	408	222	—	—	—	—	—	—	74	79	57	320	357	244
Minnesota	64	58	23	976	960	295	114	99	33	—	—	—	—	—	—	71	66	39	233	307	162
Iowa	59	50	33	1,483	1,425	770	276	255	154	57	32	40	79	58	61	75	70	48	6,430	6,624	4,416
Missouri	51	55	18	2,549	3,132	1,180	1,317	1,620	600	51	24	28	316	146	197	73	73	49	8,474	9,880	6,500
South Dakota	55	18	10	144	68	26	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nebraska	54	38	16	529	370	152	215	160	72	56	28	12	37	17	12	73	50	21	2,398	1,824	950
Kansas	53	44	16	1,305	1,431	486	887	939	319	54	23	19	188	90	79	72	60	27	4,066	4,158	1,980
Delaware	68	49	34	1,336	932	648	1,099	636	464	57	36	26	28	20	15	84	76	80	2,015	2,448	2,400
Maryland	58	39	26	2,056	1,312	992	1,355	657	554	60	47	43	106	66	73	75	68	67	714	596	605
Virginia	51	47	32	12,914	10,900	7,950	8,040	5,250	5,790	47	49	27	290	270	148	72	70	68	1,897	1,666	1,450
West Virginia	30	40	26	7,001	4,200	3,220	3,918	2,100	1,764	39	40	12	61	57	14	62	68	61	994	990	885
North Carolina	57	75	43	3,386	5,254	3,000	625	1,011	588	55	64	52	206	228	188	78	82	78	4,461	4,661	4,350
South Carolina	58	63	55	271	279	230	—	—	—	64	70	63	95	94	83	74	75	70	966	958	892
Georgia	59	63	49	1,005	1,150	874	376	354	290	65	45	69	162	114	172	73	75	63	860	759	666
Florida	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	69	33	79	50	25	64	77	63	74	861	767	945
Kentucky	56	63	23	2,235	2,340	934	367	288	118	52	25	42	186	80	153	71	79	71	898	1,174	1,068
Tennessee	54	65	46	1,941	1,194	1,596	265	228	170	51	21	66	240	94	282	71	78	72	1,014	1,155	1,095
Alabama	55	56	50	645	648	575	—	—	—	65	34	67	279	132	304	71	71	65	619	625	578
Mississippi	54	59	48	175	174	139	—	—	—	68	22	82	204	85	319	72	68	72	232	231	245
Arkansas	52	55	38	1,660	1,925	1,295	887	1,074	722	58	20	55	136	58	139	70	81	59	10,193	12,120	14,560
Louisiana	53	51	45	21	22	16	—	—	—	70	28	66	64	31	63	68	58	46	46	41	40
Oklahoma	48	40	29	358	350	221	58	60	39	45	17	28	166	69	122	67	61	40	2,341	2,610	1,848
Texas	47	32	42	145	98	134	—	—	—	60	11	48	409	104	344	69	58	55	1,626	1,820	1,682
Montana	53	73	44	485	525	325	369	264	192	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Idaho	75	78	55	5,426	5,244	3,864	4,487	3,500	3,472	72	62	63	65	59	57	83	72	86	541	488	607
Wyoming	70	62	40	49	50	27	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Colorado	67	47	47	2,103	1,454	1,449	1,922	1,300	1,357	73	40	51	406	271	313	75	63	80	385	400	515
New Mexico	60	18	79	810	285	1,323	571	168	869	49	10	68	40	9	51	78	59	90	832	768	1,452
Arizona	65	41	55	74	51	59	28	15	22	71	72	65	15	13	11	87	82	63	1,671	2,016	1,732
Utah	71	37	55	750	313	515	531	219	374	74	45	64	74	47	64	87	61	74	1,068	930	1,080
Nevada	60	49	53	47	39	35	—	—	—	57	48	66	4	4	6	89	75	94	150	92	112
Washington	74	70	77	32,306	29,240	32,300	27,476	20,000	22,800	72	79	74	3,429	4,264	4,042	82	79	78	5,325	5,320	5,680
Oregon	74	64	81	4,981	3,500	5,062	3,365	1,800	2,916	74	75	70	2,554	2,738	2,850	88	74	81	2,434	2,205	2,496
California	74	72	50	9,839	9,333	6,760	5,420	4,023	4,212	75	65	67	2,906	2,909	9,751	77	63	62	2,020,000	1,660,000	1,471,000
Wine varieties	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	81	65	74	3,434,800	420,000	431,000
Raisin varieties	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	76	63	58	1,205,80	970,000	799,000
Dry	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Not dried	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Table varieties	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	74	62	59	3,308,200	190,000	241,000
United States	59.0	54.1	42.7	156,303	142,981	111,703	96,445	74,722	67,863	66.1	58.2	62.4	22,334	21,192	23,134	76.3	63.7	61.5	2,276,559	1,909,581	1,689,501

1 Short-time average.

2 Includes 42,000 bushels in 1927, 62,000 in 1928, 1,292,000 in 1930, 625,000 in 1931, and 1,667,000 in 1933 not harvested on account of market conditions.

3 Includes some quantities not harvested on account of market conditions as follows: Wine varieties, 1928—18,000 tons, 1930—40,000, 1931—10,000; raisin varieties (not dried), 1928—60,000 tons, 1930—319,000 including 316,000 sold but left on the vines; table varieties, 1927—142,000 tons, 1928—75,000, 1930—74,000, 1933—3,000.

4 Dried basis: 1 ton of dried raisins equivalent to 4 tons fresh.

Louisiana Sugarcane

Item	Condition Sept. 1		Production		
	1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934
	Per-cent	Per-cent	1,000 short tons	1,000 short tons	1,000 short tons
Sugarcane:	—	—	—	—	—
For sugar	81	87	2,106	2,610	3,152
For sirup	80	67	252	254	240
For seed	81	82	243	312	344
Total	81	84	2,612	3,176	3,736
Cane sugar	—	—	149	205	217
Cane sirup	—	—	1,000 gallons	1,000 gallons	1,000 gallons
Molasses	—	—	5,598	5,458	5,050
	—	—	14,262	16,498	—

Cranberries

State	Acreage			Yield per acre			Production		
	Average, 1927- 31	1933	1934	Average, 1922- 31	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934	Average, 1927- 31	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934
	Acres	Acres	Acres	Bbl.	Bbl.	Bbl.	Bbl.	Bbl.	Bbl.
Massachusetts-----	13,960	14,000	14,000	27.4	36.2	23.9	386,800	507,000	335,000
New Jersey-----	11,000	11,000	11,000	14.0	12.9	8.2	117,800	142,000	90,000
Wisconsin-----	2,600	2,000	2,000	17.0	23.5	29.0	40,200	47,000	58,000
Washington-----	544	500	500	127.4	9.6	36.6	13,296	4,800	18,300
Oregon-----	136	150	150	141.8	26.0	40.0	5,160	3,900	6,000
United States-----	28,240	27,650	27,650	21.3	25.5	18.3	563,256	704,700	507,300

Estimated Crop Conditions Sept. 1, 1934, with Comparisons—Continued

Potatoes¹

State and group	Condition Sept. 1			Production		
	Average, 1922-31	1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934
Surplus late potato States:	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels	1,000 bushels
Maine	81	78	88	43,208	42,000	49,590
New York	77	64	74	25,386	24,600	24,720
Pennsylvania	75	64	79	22,764	21,357	23,160
3 Eastern				91,358	87,957	97,470
Michigan	71	51	59	21,511	20,670	22,950
Wisconsin	76	50	70	23,553	16,730	23,736
Minnesota	71	47	50	30,400	22,712	23,380
North Dakota	71	43	35	8,685	9,300	7,392
South Dakota	68	27	22	4,420	2,480	1,960
5 Central				88,569	71,892	79,418
Nebraska	74	48	20	9,404	8,625	5,760
Montana	72	52	50	2,195	1,955	2,040
Idaho	83	77	65	21,388	21,850	19,616
Wyoming	82	61	40	2,521	3,007	1,800
Colorado	76	67	38	15,150	13,050	6,825
Utah	80	73	59	2,010	2,100	1,540
Nevada	85	81	60	569	250	200
Washington	76	75	71	8,567	7,380	7,040
Oregon	80	86	73	4,757	6,435	4,510
California	86	86	84	7,593	7,920	7,790
10 Western				74,155	72,572	57,115
Total 18 surplus late				254,081	232,421	234,003
Other late potato States:						
New Hampshire	83	85	79	1,332	1,440	1,530
Vermont	84	68	80	2,238	1,950	2,240
Massachusetts	80	81	82	1,420	2,325	2,320
Rhode Island	83	84	81	271	370	330
Connecticut	79	76	82	1,536	2,080	2,475
5 New England				6,797	8,165	8,885
West Virginia	73	50	51	3,522	2,331	2,660
Ohio	72	40	60	10,615	8,064	8,738
Indiana	72	34	48	4,801	3,192	3,360
Illinois	72	27	36	4,362	1,584	2,000
Iowa	74	46	44	6,544	5,100	4,560
5 Central				29,844	20,271	21,378
New Mexico	78	58	71	312	640	648
Arizona	73	70	65	244	240	210
2 Southwestern				556	880	858
Total 12 other late				37,197	29,316	31,121
30 late States				291,279	261,737	265,124
Intermediate potato States:						
New Jersey	78	71	82	7,081	7,216	8,448
Delaware	72	67	82	430	444	570
Maryland	70	59	67	3,646	2,700	3,007
Virginia	74	63	76	15,989	8,649	13,803
Kentucky	76	57	62	4,365	4,092	4,480
Missouri	73	36	23	4,867	2,808	1,500
Kansas	78	38	17	4,988	2,436	1,350
Total 7 intermediate				41,366	28,345	33,158
37 late and intermediate				332,645	290,082	298,282
Early potato States:						
North Carolina	76	63	78	7,573	7,315	10,324
South Carolina	63	58	60	2,944	1,744	2,625
Georgia	66	57	73	954	1,026	1,320
Florida				3,192	2,232	3,250
Tennessee	74	65	70	3,178	3,762	4,189
Alabama	68	58	66	2,350	2,304	3,760
Mississippi	65	54	65	748	806	1,296
Arkansas	62	62	29	2,780	2,613	2,624
Louisiana	67	65	59	2,356	2,337	2,904
Oklahoma	59	42	20	3,235	2,484	2,691
Texas	58	59	39	3,602	3,648	3,876
Total 11 early States				32,911	30,271	38,859
Total United States	75.3	59.1	61.9	365,556	320,353	337,141

¹ Estimates for each State cover the entire crop, whether commercial or non-commercial, early or late. September condition relates only to late crop in certain States where early crop harvest is past, principally in the South, but United States condition includes allowance for condition of these early crops at harvest.

The United States average farm price of potatoes failed to make its usual seasonal rise from July 15 to August 15 and, at 68 cents per bushel in mid-August, was only 1 cent higher than a month earlier. Potato prices declined 9 cents per bushel during the month in the Middle Atlantic States as New Jersey neared the peak of the current shipping season. Declines also were registered in East South Central and far Western States. These declines, however, were slightly more than offset by price advances in other sections of the country.

Tobacco by Types

Class and type	Type no.	Condition Sept. 1		Production		
		1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1933	Indicated Sept. 1, 1934
Flue cured:		Pct.	Pct.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.
Old Belt	11	81	80	264,663	237,237	203,620
Eastern North Carolina Belt	12	83	78	277,006	290,720	204,000
South Carolina Belt	13	80	72	123,802	148,092	93,620
Georgia-Florida Belt	14	77	62	82,888	61,654	34,243
Total flue cured	11-14	81	77	748,359	737,703	535,483
Fire cured:						
Virginia	21	73	88	24,587	24,928	20,700
Clarksburg-Hopkinsville	22	70	83	90,172	77,355	69,275
Paducah	23	62	82	36,415	27,650	25,569
Henderson Stemming	24	65	80	7,172	3,420	3,708
Total fire cured	21-24	69	84	158,346	133,353	119,252
Air cured (light):						
Burley	31	75	77	316,110	382,033	294,360
Southern Maryland	32	64	87	23,638	20,400	24,480
Total air cured (light)	31-32	74	78	339,748	402,433	318,840
Air cured (dark):						
One Sucker	35	77	79	24,215	17,986	14,678
Green River	36	60	75	28,890	13,300	13,205
Virginia sun cured	37	70	86	4,249	2,016	3,463
Total air cured (dark)	35-37	69	78	55,354	33,302	31,346
Cigar filler:						
Pennsylvania seed leaf	41	49	79	48,930	25,000	24,320
Miami Valley	42-44	47	72	22,858	10,165	13,025
Georgia-Florida sun grown	45		74	1,561	82	330
Total cigar filler	41-45	48	76	73,359	35,247	37,675
Cigar binder:						
Connecticut Valley broadleaf	51	77	93	16,509	10,730	7,848
Connecticut Valley Havana seed	52	78	87	16,505	8,522	5,557
Havana seed	53	67	86	1,689	1,050	931
Southern Wisconsin	54	73	80	28,445	10,836	9,074
Northern Wisconsin	55	75	85	19,537	5,457	4,920
Total cigar binder	51-55	75	86	82,685	36,595	28,330
Cigar wrapper:						
Connecticut Valley shade grown	61	86	92	7,305	4,946	5,159
Georgia-Florida shade grown	62	78	89	3,712	1,210	1,824
Total cigar wrapper	61-62	84	91	11,368	6,156	6,983
Miscellaneous types:						
Eastern Ohio		72	74	1,192	190	103
Louisiana Perique		80	50	147	128	105
Total miscellaneous types		77	56	1,339	318	208
United States	All	75.3	77.8	1,470,556	1,355,107	1,078,117

Employment on Farms of Crop Reporters, Sept. 1, 1934, with Comparisons¹

[Persons per 100 farms]

Month and year	Family Labor									
	United States	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific
July 1, 1933	237	166	183	185	188	297	390	282	203	186
Aug. 1, 1933										
Sept. 1, 1933										
July 1, 1934	237	174	182	179	187	321	396	268	198	197
Aug. 1, 1934	226	169	182	172	181	300	368	249	198	179
Sept. 1, 1934	224	159	176	173	175	298	366	249	214	173
Hired Labor										
July 1, 1933	101	150	98	66	61	151	122	80	94	269
Aug. 1, 1933										
Sept. 1, 1933										
July 1, 1934	102	134	91	66	55	179	130	69	83	276
Aug. 1, 1934	87	135	85	53	47	147	97	55	87	268
Sept. 1, 1934	88	120	83	52	47	153	102	68	98	226
Family and Hired Labor Combined										
July 1, 1933	338	316	281	251	249	448	512	362	297	455
Aug. 1, 1933										
Sept. 1, 1933										
July 1, 1934	339	308	273	245	242	500	526	337	281	473
Aug. 1, 1934	313	304	267	225	228	447	465	304	285	447
Sept. 1, 1934	312	279	259	225	222	451	468	317	312	399

¹ Questions on the number of family and hired workers were omitted from the questionnaire in August and September 1933. Consequently, no information is available for these dates.

Hens and Pullets per Farm Flock¹

[First day of each month]

Area and year	Quarter ²				Month							
	January-March	April-June	July-September	October-December	December	April	May	June	July	August	September	
NORTH ATLANTIC STATES												
5-year average, 1927-31	93.2	84.7	74.6	84.3	90.2	88.4	84.5	81.2	76.7	74.9	72.2	
1929	91.1	83.7	72.9	85.0	92.6	88.8	85.9	79.5	75.3	72.3	70.8	
1930	95.2	84.7	73.9	86.7	91.6	87.8	85.9	81.1	74.5	74.0	73.1	
1931	93.9	84.5	75.1	84.1	89.2	87.3	84.5	81.8	76.1	76.5	72.8	
1932	92.0	85.1	75.8	87.3	93.5	88.3	85.9	81.9	77.9	75.2	74.2	
1933	95.5	87.1	74.8	87.9	95.4	89.9	86.2	85.2	78.4	74.1	71.8	
1934	96.0	86.6	75.2	87.9	95.4	90.3	86.2	83.4	78.5	73.1	74.1	
NORTH CENTRAL STATES												
5-year average, 1927-31	118.1	108.0	91.1	101.8	111.0	114.0	108.2	101.7	95.5	90.0	87.8	
1929	114.8	106.4	90.3	100.8	111.2	111.3	106.7	101.1	95.3	89.8	85.9	
1930	129.4	110.2	91.9	105.2	114.6	116.8	110.9	102.8	96.5	91.1	88.2	
1931	117.8	105.1	86.6	99.7	103.3	111.5	105.1	98.8	91.1	85.4	83.4	
1932	113.8	101.6	85.4	97.9	108.4	106.7	102.3	95.8	89.2	83.9	83.1	
1933	115.6	105.4	86.2	98.6	110.0	111.6	105.4	99.2	90.3	84.7	83.5	
1934	116.5	104.0	83.6	98.6	111.2	104.5	96.5	88.9	82.5	79.2		
SOUTH ATLANTIC STATES												
5-year average, 1927-31	62.1	55.1	50.5	56.4	59.5	58.1	54.5	52.7	51.0	49.9	50.5	
1929	60.5	53.7	49.6	57.0	60.8	56.6	53.1	51.0	49.1	50.0	49.8	
1930	60.3	52.7	48.0	54.9	57.5	55.7	52.0	50.4	49.2	46.8	48.1	
1931	58.9	51.4	47.5	52.9	55.1	54.5	50.7	49.7	49.9	46.5	48.0	
1932	57.6	50.2	46.8	52.7	55.9	53.4	50.1	47.2	47.8	45.9	46.6	
1933	58.8	52.2	45.5	51.7	55.2	53.6	51.8	49.1	47.0	44.2	45.2	
1934	55.5	49.4	44.8	51.7	55.2	51.4	49.7	47.0	44.5	44.6	44.3	
SOUTH CENTRAL STATES												
5-year average, 1927-31	71.6	61.0	55.0	63.9	67.4	65.8	60.1	57.2	55.0	54.4	55.7	
1929	68.2	59.0	54.5	62.7	67.3	63.7	57.9	55.5	54.2	54.2	61.7	
1930	71.8	60.9	54.2	64.0	66.2	65.5	60.2	57.1	54.6	53.9	54.2	
1931	67.9	55.6	50.4	59.2	62.2	59.7	54.9	52.3	50.3	49.5	51.4	
1932	64.7	54.9	50.1	58.9	62.6	58.1	54.9	51.6	50.5	49.9	50.0	
1933	67.0	57.8	50.2	57.7	59.2	62.6	56.8	54.0	49.9	49.8	50.9	
1934	62.3	53.8	46.8	57.7	59.2	57.9	54.2	50.1	48.3	45.8	46.3	
WESTERN STATES												
5-year average, 1927-31	74.6	68.2	61.5	67.8	72.4	71.2	68.4	65.0	62.2	61.4	60.8	
1929	72.2	66.4	59.9	65.0	70.9	68.9	67.3	63.0	60.1	60.3	59.2	
1930	73.6	67.1	60.2	68.1	72.3	70.0	67.4	64.0	61.7	59.5	59.5	
1931	76.0	68.3	62.1	69.5	73.8	70.4	68.3	66.3	63.4	62.5	60.3	
1932	74.6	68.9	61.7	67.9	71.2	71.3	69.9	66.5	62.3	60.8	61.9	
1933	72.8	67.3	59.3	67.4	73.1	68.9	67.6	65.3	60.3	59.0	58.7	
1934	72.7	66.5	59.9	67.4	73.1	69.4	66.6	63.3	60.2	60.1	59.3	
UNITED STATES												
5-year average, 1927-31	88.7	79.4	69.3	78.3	84.0	84.1	79.0	75.0	71.3	63.7	63.0	
1929	85.9	77.8	68.5	77.6	84.4	82.1	77.4	73.8	70.3	68.3	66.9	
1930	89.4	79.7	68.7	79.5	84.7	84.5	79.6	74.9	71.0	68.2	67.4	
1931	87.0	76.1	65.9	77.3	80.7	80.5	75.7	72.0	67.7	65.1	64.8	
1932	83.6	73.9	64.8	74.4	80.7	77.6	74.2	69.8	66.6	63.9	63.8	
1933	85.4	76.5	64.6	74.0	80.2	81.3	76.1	72.1	65.6	63.7	63.6	
1934	83.6	74.5	62.5	74.0	80.2	73.9	74.5	69.4	65.3	61.6	60.6	

¹ As reported in the returns of flocks by about 22,000 crop correspondents, excluding flocks numbering 400 or more hens and pullets of laying age on Jan. 1.

² Average of 3 reports for the quarter indicated.

Index of Farm Prices of Chickens, Eggs, and Feed for Poultry

[1923-27 average for same month=100]

Index Prices for Eggs												
Year	Quarter ²				Month							
	January-March	April-June	July-September	October-December	December	April	May	June	July	August	September	
1928	93	93	100	104	109	107	108	106	102	95	88	91
1929	85	102	122	105	109	117	115	115	104	105	98	98
1930	93	101	93	98	90	83	79	80	77	72	71	57
1931	57	45	74	74	60	63	62	63	62	59	59	55
1932	44	41	45	46	46	48	51	57	53	61	59	60
1933	55	35	44	47	53	45	55	51	50	57	53	46
1934	45	50	63	61	60	59	59	66	61	57	57	46

Index Prices of Chickens

Year	Quarter ²				Month							
	January-March	April-June	July-September	October-December	December	April	May	June	July	August	September	
1928	104	103	100	99	100	101	104	105	111	111	113	114
1929	114	113	112	113	113	115	112	112	111	111	109	103
1930	105	105	102	100	93	89	83	84	89	88	85	82
1931	83	77	80	80	74	76	75	79	78	73	76	75
1932	70	65	62	60	56	54	55	57	58	54	53	49
1933	49	48	45	47	45	47	49	48	47	46	46	46
1934	50	52	53	53	52	53	55	56	56	56	56	46

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Index Prices of Feed for Poultry

Year	Quarter ²				Month							
	January-March	April-June	July-September	October-December	December	April	May	June	July	August	September	
1928	100	102	108	116	123	118	113	109	99	96	96	97
1929	99	103	105	105	99	96	100	101	104	104	101	99
1930	96	94	91	92	92	90	83	88	91	86	78	77
1931	72	68	68	69	65	60	57	52	46	41	43	47
1932	46	44	43	44	41	38	37	36	34	31	30	29
1933	29	29	31	40	50	50	67	55	51	51	56	56
1934	57	59	61	62	61	66	69	78	56	51	51	56

Relation of Egg Prices to Feed Prices (i.e., Egg Index÷Feed Index)

Year	Quarter ²				Month							
	January-March	April-June	July-September	October-December	December	April	May	June	July	August	September	
1928	98	91	93	90	89	91	96	106	103	99	92	94
1929	86	99	116	100	110	122	115	114	100	101	97	99
1930	102	107	102	107	98	92	95	91	85	84	91	73
1931	79	66	109	107	92	105	109	129	126	151	123	117
1932	96	93	105	105	112	126	138	158	156	197	193	207
1933	190	121	142	118	106	90	82	88	89	112	95	82
1934	79	85	103	98	98	89	86	85	85	85	85	82

Relation of Chicken Prices to Feed Prices (i.e., Chicken Index÷Feed Index)

Year	Quarter ²				Month							
	January-March	April-June	July-September	October-December	December	April	May	June	July	August	September	
1928	104	101	93	85	81	86	92	105	112	116	118	118
1929	115	110	107	108	114	120	112	110	107	105	106	104
1930	109	112	112	109	101	99	100	95	93	102	109	106
1931	115	113	118	116	114	127	132	152	170	178	158	160
1932	152	148	144	136	137	142	149	158	171	174	177	169
1933	169	166	145	118	96	94	73	83	84	92	82	82
1934	88	88	87	85	85	80	80	80	72	72	72	72

Eggs Laid Daily per Farm Flock¹

Area and year	Quarter ²				Month							
	January-March	April-June	July-September	October-December	December	April	May	June	July	August	September	
NORTH ATLANTIC STATES												
5-year average, 1927-31	26.8	47.7	32.2	17.0	15.9	49.3	49.5	44.3	36.4	32.5	27.6	
1929	26.6	47.5	32.0	16.9	15.8	51.1	48.7	42.8	36.2	32.7	27.8	
1930	29.5	47.5	32.0	17.9	17.2	49.0	49.9	43.5	35.4	32.6	27.9	
1931	29.3	49.1	33.3	19.3	19.2	48.1	50.4	45.9	36.4	34.4	29.0	
1932	31.6	47.2	32.8	18.1	17.0	46.7	49.9	45.1	37.2	32.7	28.6	
1933	32.1	49.2	31.9	18.2	17.5	47.4	51.0	44.9	35.9	32.1	27.5	
1934	29.9	48.9	32.6	---	---	48.2	50.8	45.4	37.9	32.7	28.2	
NORTH CENTRAL STATES												
5-year average, 1927-31	27.6	57.9	34.5	17.5	13.5	61.2	60.8	51.8	40.9	33.3	29.2	
1929	24.7	58.5	35.5	16.3	11.6	61.1	61.4	52.9	41.7	35.1	29.7	
1930	29.9	58.8	34.2	18.2	15.1	63.3	62.0	51.1	41.6	32.5	28.6	
1931	32.6	56.6	33.8	19.3	16.5	58.6	60.2	51.0	39.4	32.9	29.8	
1932	36.0	53.0	32.5	16.4	11.5	53.1	53.1	47.8	38.2	30.8	28.4	
1933	29.6	56.0	30.9	15.4	12.5	57.5	59.4	51.1	35.5	30.9	26.2	
1934	29.0	53.0	28.5	---	---	55.6	56.7	46.8	36.4	25.6	23.5	
SOUTH ATLANTIC STATES												
5-year average, 1927-31	18.6	27.1	17.9	11.2	10.5	30.4	27.2	23.6	20.9	18.0	14.8	
1929	19.9	23.6	17.6	10.8	10.1	31.0	26.2	22.6	20.2	18.1	14.8	
1930	18.7	23.6	16.5	10.5	9.6	28.9	25.5	22.4	19.5	16.3	13.7	
1931	17.2	25.0	16.6	11.8	11.4	27.0	25.7	22.4	20.5	17.1	15.1	
1932	19.7	24.7	16.0	10.1	8.4	26.9	25.7	21.5	18.9	15.8	13.8	
1933	17.0	25.2	15.2	10.1	9.2	28.4	25.6	21.7	17.6	15.1	12.8	
1934	15.9	23.7	15.8	---	---	25.1	25.3	20.8	17.8	15.8	13.7	
SOUTH CENTRAL STATES												
5-year average, 1927-31	19.8	30.6	18.3	12.6	10.7	35.0	30.8	25.9	21.5	18.2	15.3	
1929	18.4	30.6	18.8	12.0	9.3	36.1	30.3	25.3	21.9	19.1	15.4	
1930	19.3	29.9	17.0	12.0	10.2	34.3	30.1	25.4	20.8	16.7	13.3	
1931	19.5	27.9	17.7	13.2	11.7	30.6	28.9	24.3	19.8	17.4	15.8	
1932	20.6	27.2	17.1	11.1	8.8	30.2	28.2	23.3	20.2	16.4	14.6	
1933	18.2	28.2	15.0	10.3	8.5	32.8	28.3	23.4	17.3	15.3	12.4	
1934	17.1	25.8	13.9	---	---	28.6	27.4	21.7	16.8	13.3	11.6	
WESTERN STATES												
5-year average, 1927-31	22.9	38.2	27.0	15.6	12.5	39.0	40.4	35.3	30.3	27.0	23.5	
1929	21.2	37.9	27.6	15.4	11.9	37.7	41.2	34.9	30.3	23.8	23.7	
1930	23.0	38.1	26.6	15.1	12.4	40.5	39.3	34.5	30.5	26.3	22.9	
1931	25.6	39.0	27.0	16.3	13.0	40.0	40.4	36.5	29.9	27.3	23.9	
1932	22.8	33.3	27.2	15.0	12.3	38.7	40.8	35.6	30.1	27.1	25.3	
1933	20.0	37.7	25.5	14.8	12.7	38.3	38.3	35.9	29.3	25.2	21.9	
1934	23.8	37.9	25.3	---	---	40.9	39.7	33.6	29.0	25.3	21.5	
UNITED STATES												
5-year average, 1927-31	23.2	41.8	25.9	14.7	12.3	45.3	43.3	37.0	30.3	25.6	21.8	
1929	21.5	41.9	26.4	14.1	11.1	45.6	43.1	36.9	30.6	26.6	22.0	
1930	23.8	41.7	25.1	14.7	12.6	45.5	43.2	36.3	30.0	24.4	20.9	
1931	25.1	40.3	25.5	15.8	14.1	42.2	42.3	36.3	29.1	24.9	22.4	
1932	25.0	38.2	24.2	13.6	10.6	39.6	40.9	34.1	28.3	23.3	21.0	
1933	23.2	39.7	22.6	12.9	11.0	42.3	41.3	35.4	26.0	22.7	19.1	
1934	22.5	37.8	21.6	---	---	39.9	40.4	33.0	26.3	20.5	18.5	

Cotton Report as of September 1, 1934

A United States cotton crop of 9,252,000 bales in 1934 is forecast by the Department of Agriculture, based on conditions as of September 1. This represents an increase of 57,000 bales, or six-tenths of one percent over the United States total as forecast on August 1. The crop as forecast is 3,795,000 bales less than last year's crop and 5,414,000 bales less than average production in the 5-year period, 1928 to 1932.

The estimated acreage remaining for harvest is 27,241,000 acres. In the August 1 report, the Crop Reporting Board used the 10-year average abandonment of 2.4 percent; in the September 1 report the Board used the abandonment of 2.8 percent indicated by the reports made by crop correspondents as of September 1. The forecast yield per acre for the United States is 162.6 pounds, compared with the average of 169.9 pounds for the 10-year period, 1923 to 1932.

During August the prospects have improved in all States from Alabama east, because of the generally favorable weather conditions which obtained there during the greater part of the month. These increases are partly offset by decreases in the States west of Alabama. In Texas, the production forecast is practically the same as was reported a month ago. Arkansas and Oklahoma show sharp declines because of further damage from drought during the first three weeks of August. The yield of 80 pounds per acre forecast for Oklahoma is the lowest of record for that State. On the other hand, the 325 pounds per acre forecast for North Carolina is one of the highest ever made there.

State	1934 acreage		Condition Sept. 1			Yield per acre			Production (ginnings) 500-lb. gross weight bales	
	Total abandonment (after July 1) (preliminary)	For harvest (preliminary)	Average 1923-32			Average, 1923-32			1933 crop ²	1934 crop indicated Sept. 1
	Pct.	1,000 acres	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	1,000 bales	1,000 bales
Virginia.....	0.5	57	72	73	88	270	275	320	37	38
North Carolina.....	1.3	964	67	71	80	269	300	325	634	656
South Carolina.....	1.5	1,267	56	63	70	208	255	265	735	703
Georgia.....	.8	2,124	56	69	66	176	216	210	1,105	933
Florida.....	4.0	84	61	74	67	124	141	130	28	23
Missouri.....	.5	288	66	78	61	256	340	290	253	175
Tennessee.....	.6	755	63	72	60	196	240	225	443	355
Alabama.....	.7	2,199	59	65	69	172	195	210	969	965
Mississippi.....	.8	2,615	58	65	61	191	194	190	1,159	1,039
Louisiana.....	1.0	1,225	54	55	50	192	176	170	477	436
Texas.....	4.8	10,390	55	68	44	139	185	110	4,428	2,383
Oklahoma.....	4.0	2,539	56	72	30	149	203	80	1,266	424
Arkansas.....	1.6	2,269	59	66	43	188	193	150	1,041	711
New Mexico.....	5.0	92	86	91	69	318	468	400	94	77
Arizona.....	0	132	86	88	94	322	391	375	96	103
California.....	1.5	222	88	84	91	336	500	470	217	218
All other.....	.5	19	73	84	77	227	311	288	15	12
U.S. total.....	2.8	27,241	57.7	67.5	53.8	169.9	208.5	162.6	13,047	9,252
Lower California (Old Mexico).....	0	62	87	81	42	242	159	104	18	13

¹ Indicated Sept. 1, on area remaining for harvest.

² Allowances made for interstate movement of seed cotton for ginning.

³ Including Pima Egyptian long staple cotton, 29,000 acres and 16,000 bales.

⁴ Short-time average.

⁵ Not included in California figures nor in United States total.

The general level of farm prices advanced from 80 percent of pre-war on July 15 to 87 in mid-August. This was the largest monthly increase recorded since the early summer rise in 1933. Prices received by farmers for many agricultural products registered sharp advances during the month ended August 15 as a result of the drastic reduction in supplies of crops and livestock products in drought-afflicted areas. Crop prices rose generally with the exception of a seasonal decline in apple prices. Farm prices of all dairy and poultry products showed greater than average seasonal advances. Hog prices increased sharply at local farm markets as a result of reduced marketings. Cattle, sheep, lamb, and chicken prices dropped, however, because of an increase in the proportion of low quality receipts from drought-stricken areas. Increases in the subgroup price indexes were as follows: Grains, 15 points; chickens and eggs, 11 points; cotton and cottonseed, 8; dairy products, 3; and meat animals, 2. The index for fruits and vegetables declined 2 points, however, as a result of the sharp mark-down on apple prices when new crop supplies of summer apples became available in most sections of the country.

Milk Production

Total milk production on the first of September was apparently only about 1 percent less than on that date last year. The number of milk cows on farms has begun to decline, but on September 1, crop correspondents were securing slightly more milk per cow than on the same date last year. Their reports showed a daily average of 12.8 pounds of milk per milk cow in their herds compared with 12.74 pounds on September 1 last year, 12.59 pounds in 1932 and an average of 13.54 pounds on September 1 during the previous 5 years. These reports show a remarkably high level of production in the country as a whole considering the very poor pasturage available and the very low level of milk production per cow that was reported from States in the drought area.

In the area from Iowa, Illinois, and Wisconsin eastward, production per cow, as reported, averaged higher than on the same date in any year since 1929. In most of this area green corn was being fed earlier than usual and pastures were being supplemented by grain and hay, partially in response to better prices for market milk and other dairy products. Outside of the worst drought areas and some of the South Central States, the proportion of the milk cows reported in production on September 1 was higher than on that date in any of the past 9 years for which figures are available. For the country, the proportion reported milked on September 1 averaged 72.9 compared with 72.1 in 1933, 71.2 in 1932 and a previous high of 72.5 in 1928.

Pounds of Milk Produced per Milk Cow in Herds Kept by Crop Correspondents on Sept. 1, 1932-34, and 7-year Average, 1925-31

[State averages calculated by dividing the reported total daily milk production of about 20,000 herds on the 1st of each September by the number of milk cows in these herds. To reduce to quarts divide by 2.15]

State	7-year average, 1925-31	1932	1933	1934
Maine.....	14.3	13.6	12.6	14.3
New Hampshire.....	13.5	15.3	13.3	14.8
Vermont.....	12.0	13.5	12.5	13.0
Massachusetts.....	17.2	16.9	16.9	15.9
Rhode Island.....	18.3	20.0	17.3	17.6
Connecticut.....	16.7	17.2	17.0	16.8
New York.....	15.7	16.0	15.2	15.8
New Jersey.....	19.1	17.1	17.5	18.8
Pennsylvania.....	16.0	15.2	15.2	17.1
North Atlantic.....	15.57	15.56	15.06	15.99
Ohio.....	15.8	14.7	14.3	16.1
Indiana.....	15.1	14.2	14.4	14.8
Illinois.....	13.8	13.4	14.0	15.3
Michigan.....	16.4	15.4	15.0	15.5
Wisconsin.....	15.4	13.5	14.3	15.1
East North Central.....	15.32	14.12	14.32	15.32
Minnesota.....	13.1	11.6	12.0	12.0
Iowa.....	13.0	12.6	12.9	13.5
Missouri.....	11.1	10.8	10.3	8.9
North Dakota.....	13.0	11.0	11.1	12.1
South Dakota.....	11.4	8.2	10.7	10.2
Nebraska.....	12.5	13.0	13.1	11.7
Kansas.....	12.5	12.3	12.4	9.6
West North Central.....	12.49	11.46	11.82	11.36
Delaware.....	13.9	12.6	13.3	13.3
Maryland.....	15.2	14.1	15.3	14.7
Virginia.....	13.4	11.3	12.3	13.4
West Virginia.....	14.0	12.8	12.5	12.8
North Carolina.....	12.8	12.1	11.3	12.3
South Carolina.....	10.7	9.7	10.3	10.3
Georgia.....	6.8	9.0	8.6	8.3
Florida.....	6.8	5.8	6.2	6.7
South Atlantic.....	12.17	10.56	10.99	11.35
Kentucky.....	13.5	12.0	13.1	12.8
Tennessee.....	11.7	10.9	10.8	10.4
Alabama.....	8.2	7.5	7.9	7.8
Mississippi.....	8.3	7.8	7.0	6.5
Arkansas.....	9.4	8.8	8.9	6.1
Louisiana.....	6.8	6.7	8.2	6.6
Oklahoma.....	10.7	10.5	10.2	7.2
Texas.....	9.3	9.5	8.3	6.8
South Central.....	9.88	9.44	9.56	8.21
Montana.....	13.6	12.6	12.7	13.9
Idaho.....	16.2	16.5	17.5	17.4
Wyoming.....	13.4	11.3	13.4	12.4
Colorado.....	13.5	13.3	13.2	11.9
New Mexico.....	11.0	10.2	10.5	9.3
Arizona.....	14.8	13.5	14.6	15.6
Utah.....	16.5	15.8	15.3	14.3
Nevada.....	13.9	12.0	13.8	10.3
Washington.....	17.4	17.3	16.4	16.6
Oregon.....	14.8	15.1	14.8	15.4
California.....	16.3	17.9	18.2	16.7
Western.....	14.87	14.62	14.85	14.76
United States.....	13.42	12.59	12.74	12.80

Average Prices Received by Farmers for Farm Products, Aug. 15, 1933 and 1934, by States

State and division	Wheat, per bushel		Corn, per bushel		Oats, per bushel		Barley, per bushel		Rye, per bushel		Buckwheat, per bushel		Flaxseed, per bushel		Grain sorghums, per 100 pounds		Potatoes, per bushel		Sweet potatoes, per bushel		Hay (all loose), per ton		Cotton, per pound		Cottonseed, per ton		Apples, per bushel	
	1932 1934		1933 1934		1933 1934		1933 1934		1933 1934		1933 1934		1933 1934		1933 1934		1933 1934		1933 1934		1933 1934		1933 1934		1933 1934		1933 1934	
	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Dol.	Dol.	Ct.	Ct.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	
Maine.....	125	150	65	80	37	48	68	70	---	---	80	63	---	---	---	---	145	50	---	---	9.30	11.70	---	---	---	---	0.75	1.10
New Hampshire.....	---	---	74	85	55	65	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	170	85	---	---	14.40	15.10	---	---	---	---	.95	1.55
Vermont.....	107	---	68	80	46	64	70	67	---	---	80	75	---	---	---	---	170	80	---	---	11.70	17.30	---	---	---	---	1.00	1.25
Massachusetts.....	---	---	80	80	55	60	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	155	70	---	---	15.00	17.50	---	---	---	---	.95	1.20
Rhode Island.....	---	---	90	85	55	60	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	150	70	---	---	15.60	17.80	---	---	---	---	.95	1.35
Connecticut.....	---	---	80	85	55	57	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	150	70	---	---	16.20	18.50	---	---	---	---	1.10	1.25
New England.....	---	---	72.9	---	39.6	52.6	68.7	68.5	---	---	80.0	64.3	---	---	---	---	147.7	54.0	---	---	12.39	15.70	---	---	---	---	.93	1.24
New York.....	91	99	67	81	48	56	60	66	75	86	65	67	---	---	---	---	150	65	---	---	8.40	14.70	---	---	---	---	.70	.90
New Jersey.....	94	96	68	81	46	50	59	61	77	77	65	75	---	---	---	---	140	50	165	125	12.50	14.90	---	---	---	---	.85	1.00
Pennsylvania.....	88	93	66	75	46	51	58	63	68	69	68	63	---	---	---	---	140	75	---	---	9.60	12.40	---	---	---	---	.90	.90
Middle Atlantic.....	88.9	94.5	66.5	76.1	46.8	53.3	59.2	65.0	70.2	72.7	66.4	65.0	---	---	---	---	144.5	66.7	---	---	9.02	13.83	---	---	---	---	.77	.91
Ohio.....	82	93	56	70	34	45	44	56	65	69	75	76	---	---	---	---	175	90	---	---	5.70	13.00	---	---	---	---	1.00	.95
Indiana.....	79	91	47	69	30	42	44	62	61	72	73	75	---	---	---	---	180	90	135	120	6.70	13.60	---	---	---	---	1.00	1.00
Illinois.....	80	93	43	68	29	43	44	73	61	75	75	70	---	---	---	---	180	100	100	130	6.90	13.10	---	---	---	---	.90	.95
Michigan.....	78	91	55	76	36	48	49	67	56	69	48	62	---	---	---	---	135	80	---	---	6.30	16.50	---	---	---	---	.70	.70
Wisconsin.....	85	97	50	71	34	45	51	80	62	75	69	67	145	170	---	---	125	70	---	---	10.10	16.00	---	---	---	---	.85	.95
East North Central.....	80.3	92.3	47.2	69.3	31.9	44.5	49.2	77.4	60.6	72.1	65.8	70.7	---	---	---	---	141.4	78.8	115.6	125.6	7.44	14.66	---	---	---	---	.83	.84
Minnesota.....	78	103	36	65	28	44	38	73	57	74	62	58	168	180	---	---	120	60	---	---	7.20	12.40	---	---	---	---	.75	1.20
Iowa.....	75	93	37	67	27	42	39	66	59	74	70	75	163	178	---	---	160	95	155	125	5.50	14.30	---	---	---	---	.85	1.00
Missouri.....	80	89	32	78	31	45	51	75	80	85	65	65	160	156	100	230	135	95	115	125	6.90	14.50	8.4	12.5	18.00	23.00	.75	1.10
North Dakota.....	72	99	33	71	25	43	30	54	50	67	57	57	159	174	---	---	136	95	---	---	4.90	11.30	---	---	---	---	---	---
South Dakota.....	69	95	37	69	26	46	33	61	51	69	55	53	158	173	---	---	185	120	---	---	5.90	15.70	---	---	---	---	---	---
Nebraska.....	70	90	36	71	25	45	28	51	50	75	55	55	155	150	100	170	160	90	---	---	5.10	15.20	---	---	---	---	.90	1.20
Kansas.....	75	91	46	79	30	46	39	64	70	80	---	---	149	152	99	135	155	85	140	145	6.00	13.70	---	---	---	---	1.10	1.50
West North Central.....	73.7	92.9	39.5	70.2	27.6	43.6	34.6	66.1	52.7	72.8	61.9	61.1	163.9	177.0	99.1	144.1	135.4	77.5	127.9	132.3	5.94	13.88	---	---	---	---	.83	1.18
Delaware.....	94	92	65	77	46	52	50	---	87	79	75	72	---	---	---	---	115	60	125	125	11.30	13.50	---	---	---	---	.70	.75
Maryland.....	91	93	67	79	42	50	47	57	79	76	75	68	---	---	---	---	110	50	110	135	11.20	11.00	---	---	---	---	.75	.75
Virginia.....	94	97	78	81	46	50	58	60	81	85	67	75	---	---	---	---	115	55	110	115	11.00	12.10	9.0	13.1	16.00	25.00	.60	.75
West Virginia.....	90	96	73	81	47	52	54	65	79	75	73	79	---	---	---	---	120	95	---	---	9.70	14.60	---	---	---	---	.65	1.00
North Carolina.....	104	104	88	81	52	59	72	75	89	93	75	83	---	---	---	---	95	55	80	90	14.20	16.90	9.4	13.4	18.00	23.00	.60	.70
South Carolina.....	98	104	91	84	58	64	95	---	104	124	---	---	---	---	---	---	110	65	90	85	12.00	17.60	9.1	13.4	18.00	24.00	.85	.80
Georgia.....	98	104	84	85	58	61	---	---	102	108	---	---	---	---	---	---	105	90	85	105	9.00	13.40	8.8	13.1	16.00	23.50	.65	.80
Florida.....	---	---	74	88	---	73	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	155	105	95	105	11.00	13.10	8.5	12.2	14.50	20.00	---	---
South Atlantic.....	94.7	97.0	81.3	82.2	53.3	58.9	55.8	61.4	84.5	87.1	72.0	76.8	---	---	---	---	112.2	63.7	90.5	100.1	11.16	13.84	9.0	13.3	17.13	23.66	.63	.79
Kentucky.....	90	94	66	71	44	48	58	66	80	83	80	85	---	---	---	---	120	80	90	95	8.30	10.60	---	---	---	---	.60	.80
Tennessee.....	97	101	75	74	44	51	60	71	89	90	80	90	---	---	---	---	105	70	75	105	10.90	11.50	8.8	13.0	15.50	27.00	.55	.60
Alabama.....	87	105	90	88	54	61	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	105	70	90	90	8.30	11.00	8.8	13.0	16.00	23.50	.65	.75
Mississippi.....	---	---	85	86	54	60	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	120	80	85	90	8.70	9.40	8.9	13.3	18.00	29.00	.75	.85
East South Central.....	93.3	97.2	76.4	77.6	46.5	54.8	59.3	68.5	83.2	86.0	80.0	87.5	---	---	---	---	111.4	74.1	84.4	93.9	9.26	10.82	8.8	13.1	16.85	26.54	.59	.68
Arkansas.....	84	93	69	84	43	53	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	105	75	90	85	7.80	12.00	8.7	12.9	15.00	24.00	.65	.80
Louisiana.....	---	---	65	77	---	58	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	140	75	90	80	8.30	8.10	8.7	13.0	14.00	25.00	1.00	.80
Oklahoma.....	75	89	55	80	35	47	48	64	73	81	---	---	---	---	---	---	115	140	130	95	9.00	10.80	8.7	12.7	16.00	24.00	.75	.80
Texas.....	75	89	57	78	38	47	46	62	70	78	---	---	---	---	---	---	115	145	120	110	9.50	10.50	8.8	13.0	14.00	28.00	1.00	1.05
West South Central.....	75.0	89.0	59.0	79.4	36.8	47.4	46.6	62.5	72.4	79.7	---	---	---	---	---	---	115.0	144.4	123.8	90.7	7.09	10.85	8.8	12.9	14.51	26.44	.68	.81
Montana.....	69	89	54	71	30	41	39	52	47	55	---	---	152	162	---	---	130	90	---	---	6.30	10.00	---	---	---	---	1.05	.95
Idaho.....	59	71	51	76	30	35	36	44	44	53	---	---	---	---	---	---	105	55	---	---	6.00	8.00	---	---	---	---	.75	.75
Wyoming.....	61	85	45	73	31	46	39	57	45	73	---	---	135	143	---	---	125	85	---	---	7.50	11.60	---	---	---	---	1.00	1.35
Colorado.....	66	84	46	81	29	46	30	61	50	75	---	---	---	---	95	135	115	60	---	---	6.20	10.60	---	---	---	---	.55	.95
New Mexico.....	78	92	74	94	46	64	40	70	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	118	150	165	90	8.50	12.50	8.5	12.8	---	20.00	1.25	1.10
Arizona.....	83	89	85	94	48	50	45	52	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	125	155	125	90	6.50	9.50	9.5	14.8	13.00	20.00	---	1.70
Utah.....	68	81	78	89	33	45	42	55	68	70	---	---																

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State and division	Hogs, per 100 pounds		Beef cattle, per 100 pounds		Veal calves, per 100 pounds		Sheep, per 100 pounds		Lambs, per 100 pounds		Milk cows, per head		Horses, per head		Mules, per head		Chickens, per pound		Butter, per pound		Butterfat, per pound		Eggs, per dozen		Wool (unwashed), per pound	
	1933	1934	1933	1934	1933	1934	1933	1934	1933	1934	1933	1934	1933	1934	1933	1934	1933	1934	1933	1934	1933	1934	1933	1934	1933	1934
	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.
Maine.....	5.10	5.20	3.35	3.30	5.70	5.60	3.30	3.80	5.70	5.80	44	43	120	142			13.6	15.9	25	27	25	31	27.1	32.6	25	25
New Hampshire.....	4.25	4.60	3.25	3.15	5.90	5.50	2.75	3.60	6.50	6.40	54	52	90	107			14.3	14.8	26	27	26	28	30.2	35.3	25	23
Vermont.....	4.50	5.10	3.05	3.00	5.30	5.30	2.25	2.95	5.00	5.40	48	47	118	135			13.5	14.7	27	30	27	31	25.0	28.5	26	24
Massachusetts.....	4.95	4.70	3.20	3.15	5.60	5.60	2.85	3.30	6.00	7.00	69	68	120	125			16.3	16.4	26	29	27	32	33.4	37.4	25	24
Rhode Island.....	4.75	5.70	3.20	3.15	6.50	7.00	2.85	3.90	7.00	8.00	69	72	112	140			17.6	17.3	24	27	24	28	32.8	35.9	23	21
Connecticut.....	4.85	4.95	3.20	3.15	6.10	6.80	3.00	3.50	7.00	8.00	68	71	125	142			15.4	17.5	24	28	24	28	30.4	32.8	23	28
New England.....	5.02	4.95	3.20	3.15	5.64	5.68					54.87	54.18	116.25	133.31			15.0	16.1	25.5	27.7	26.4	31.0	30.3	34.4		
New York.....	4.65	5.20	3.55	3.30	5.60	5.70	2.50	3.40	5.90	6.40	61	56	127	141	115	145	13.3	15.0	25	28	21	24	22.4	24.9	26	24
New Jersey.....	4.75	4.95	4.15	3.50	6.40	6.60	2.80	3.35	5.70	6.80	78	77	110	124	105	125	16.3	18.3	26	29	23	25	25.9	28.7	26	24
Pennsylvania.....	4.70	4.85	4.65	4.70	5.60	5.70	2.65	2.65	5.50	5.60	49	46	118	126	113	123	12.7	14.0	23	25	23	25	18.7	21.6	26	25
Middle Atlantic.....	4.70	4.93	4.18	4.11	5.64	5.75	2.58	3.02	5.70	6.00	57.44	53.39	122.03	133.15	112.93	125.31	13.5	15.0	23.9	26.3	22.0	24.5	21.2	23.9	26.0	24.5
Ohio.....	4.30	5.20	4.65	4.65	5.30	5.50	2.05	2.30	5.80	5.70	35	31	106	109	98	103	10.2	12.1	22	24	17	23	13.0	17.5	25	25
Indiana.....	4.20	5.20	4.60	4.90	5.50	5.20	2.20	2.30	6.20	6.10	32	31	86	103	91	107	9.5	11.7	21	25	17	23	10.9	15.5	25	25
Illinois.....	3.95	4.90	4.60	5.30	5.40	5.00	2.60	2.40	6.00	6.10	36	32	77	84	82	88	9.4	11.8	21	25	17	24	10.8	15.1	24	22
Michigan.....	4.05	4.75	3.70	3.55	5.70	5.80	2.25	2.20	6.10	5.80	37	27	125	129	115	115	9.4	10.8	21	26	20	26	12.4	17.3	24	24
Wisconsin.....	3.70	4.45	3.10	2.75	4.70	4.40	2.10	2.20	5.60	5.10	38	36	99	110	94	104	8.9	10.3	21	26	23	28	11.5	17.2	24	22
East North Central.....	4.05	4.98	4.35	4.63	5.18	5.01	2.20	2.28	5.94	5.77	36.20	32.42	95.48	103.72	88.08	97.17	9.6	11.5	21.3	25.0	19.6	25.4	11.7	16.4	24.5	24.1
Minnesota.....	3.60	4.55	3.70	3.70	4.75	4.75	2.70	2.40	6.20	5.80	34	28	82	86	85	85	7.6	9.4	21	26	20	26	9.7	15.0	23	18
Iowa.....	3.70	4.85	4.70	5.30	4.80	4.60	2.35	2.35	6.10	5.60	34	32	78	82	86	89	8.4	10.1	21	25	20	26	9.6	14.8	24	20
Missouri.....	3.80	4.80	4.20	4.50	4.80	4.30	2.30	2.45	6.00	5.40	27	19	54	59	75	83	7.5	9.1	20	23	16	23	8.7	14.1	24	22
North Dakota.....	3.00	3.35	3.00	2.75	4.00	3.65	2.40	2.15	5.20	4.90	29	24	62	60	67	64	7.1	7.3	19	23	16	23	8.2	10.9	21	17
South Dakota.....	3.30	4.05	3.90	3.65	4.05	3.70	2.70	3.00	5.70	5.20	29	22	61	60	62	65	7.1	8.6	20	25	16	23	8.2	12.7	22	19
Nebraska.....	3.50	4.50	4.55	4.75	4.90	3.90	2.70	3.00	6.10	5.90	32	24	60	60	73	75	7.2	8.6	19	23	15	23	7.9	11.8	19	18
Kansas.....	3.55	4.55	4.00	3.95	4.15	3.90	2.45	2.50	6.00	5.40	28	22	55	60	72	77	6.7	7.8	19	24	15	22	7.9	12.2	18	18
West North Central.....	3.61	4.66	4.18	4.32	4.58	4.27	2.52	2.57	5.88	5.47	31.16	25.54	66.24	68.62	75.19	80.67	7.6	9.1	19.9	23.9	18.1	24.6	8.8	13.6	21.9	19.0
Delaware.....	4.60	4.95	4.35	4.50	5.90	6.00	3.00	2.60	6.60	7.00	45	43	88	100	110	122	14.3	16.1	24	27	24	27	18.5	20.0	24	25
Maryland.....	4.60	4.95	4.85	4.95	5.70	5.70	2.75	2.00	6.20	7.00	40	41	88	105	93	118	13.7	17.2	20	22	23	25	17.0	19.2	26	25
Virginia.....	4.35	4.55	3.95	3.75	4.75	4.70	2.35	2.30	5.70	5.60	30	30	79	94	91	110	12.4	15.0	15	17	17	21	14.2	17.0	28	25
West Virginia.....	4.65	4.40	4.20	3.85	4.85	4.50	3.10	2.80	5.70	5.50	33	29	93	95	83	82	11.4	13.5	18	19	19	23	14.8	16.7	28	25
North Carolina.....	4.80	5.30	3.80	3.50	4.80	4.95	3.70	3.90	5.50	5.50	31	31	82	97	112	142	10.9	14.0	19	21	18	20	15.7	17.7	25	24
South Carolina.....	4.25	4.60	3.15	3.35	4.15	4.30	3.60	3.65	5.20	5.00	33	31	74	89	107	129	13.0	15.0	21	22	19	21	17.1	17.7	18	20
Georgia.....	3.70	3.90	2.80	2.55	3.85	3.75	3.50	3.00	5.00	4.75	24	23	68	76	96	117	11.0	13.8	19	21	16	19	16.6	18.4	18	21
Florida.....	3.50	3.55	3.30	3.25	4.95	4.75	3.10	2.95	5.20	5.30	40	41	68	81	93	108	13.1	15.4	25	27	19	21	20.3	24.4	25	22
South Atlantic.....	4.16	4.40	3.55	3.36	4.68	4.62	2.83	2.64	5.72	5.64	31.50	31.07	82.67	94.80	101.72	124.77	12.3	14.9	18.3	20.1	17.7	21.1	16.0	18.3	27.6	24.9
Kentucky.....	4.05	4.75	3.85	3.65	4.85	4.85	2.40	2.70	6.40	6.40	26	24	53	59	67	78	8.8	10.6	19	21	15	22	10.6	14.0	28	26
Tennessee.....	3.75	4.20	3.15	3.05	3.70	3.80	2.85	2.55	5.00	4.95	24	22	57	69	83	97	7.5	10.8	14	16	17	22	11.7	13.3	27	25
Alabama.....	3.65	3.65	2.50	2.35	3.50	3.40	2.75	2.95	5.60	5.50	23	21	51	65	81	100	9.0	11.0	17	19	17	19	14.2	15.3	24	19
Mississippi.....	3.30	3.55	2.25	2.05	3.40	3.10	2.90	2.40	4.90	3.90	21	19	55	63	82	94	8.9	10.9	20	23	16	21	14.0	15.4	24	21
East South Central.....	3.70	4.07	2.99	2.84	3.89	3.81	2.59	2.69	5.84	5.82	23.54	21.53	54.27	63.29	78.89	93.04	8.4	10.8	16.6	18.7	15.8	21.7	11.9	15.1	27.2	25.0
Arkansas.....	2.95	3.05	2.45	2.05	3.60	3.00	2.60	2.30	4.30	3.70	22	17	43	53	66	78	7.2	8.4	21	22	15	21	11.0	14.2	19	21
Louisiana.....	3.80	3.95	3.35	3.25	4.60	4.15	3.20	2.95	4.40	3.55	29	25	45	52	76	82	11.0	11.8	22	24	16	18	15.6	15.8	19	20
Oklahoma.....	3.25	3.85	3.00	2.90	3.70	3.25	3.25	2.80	5.40	5.20	22	16	44	52	61	75	7.1	7.6	20	22	14	21	8.7	14.8	14	15
Texas.....	3.40	3.95	3.10	2.90	3.70	3.35	2.60	2.45	4.95	3.80	25	21	40	44	63	69	8.0	8.4	19	22	15	21	11.1	14.6	24	21
West South Central.....	3.32	3.72	3.07	2.89	3.77	3.35	2.62	2.46	4.00	3.83	24.10	19.45	41.96	47.86	64.62	72.87	7.8	8.3	19.5	22.1	14.5	21.0	10.8	14.7	23.6	20.8
Montana.....	3.95	3.95	3.80	3.10	4.85	4.50	3.00	2.80	5.00	4.80	35	30	40	41	48	42	10.8	9.1	20	23	17	21	13.0	17.2	23	21
Idaho.....	4.50	4.60	3.50	3.05	4.25	3.90	3.00	2.90	5.20	5.10	37	27	58	65	60	71	8.0	9.0	22	25	19	23	12.7	16.0	22	22
Wyoming.....																										

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State and division	Hay, per ton												Clover seed, per bushel	Timothy seed, per bushel	Alfalfa seed, per bushel	
	Alfalfa				Clover and timothy mixed				Prairie							
	1933		1934		1933		1934		1933		1934					
	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.				
Maine	14.00	11.50	9.70	11.00	10.00	11.50	6.50	8.00								
N.H.	15.00	17.50	13.70	15.60	14.30	16.50	10.00	9.00								
Vt.	15.00	19.50	11.40	18.00	12.10	17.40	7.00	10.00								
Mass.	17.00	17.50	15.50	16.00	16.00	18.50	10.00	9.00								
R.I.	20.00	22.00	17.00	15.50	16.50	16.00	12.00	11.00								
Conn.	20.00	25.00	18.00	20.50	17.50	20.00	11.00	12.50								
N.E.	16.33	19.11	12.41	15.75	12.84	16.10	10.50	9.77								
N.Y.	9.00	16.40	8.50	14.70	8.80	14.70	5.50	11.20	8.00	11.80						
N.J.	15.00	16.00	13.10	14.00	13.00	13.30	8.00	10.00								
Pa.	14.20	14.40	10.60	15.00	10.60	13.50	8.50	11.00	7.50	10.40	2.10	5.80				
M.A.	11.02	15.77	9.53	14.79	9.69	14.16	6.42	10.80	7.62	10.53						
Ohio	7.80	14.50	6.50	13.80	6.40	12.90		4.00	6.90	8.60	1.75	5.50				
Ind.	9.30	15.90	7.30	13.00	6.90	12.30	4.50	8.00	6.00	7.80	2.00	5.70				
Ill.	10.00	17.50	8.10	14.60	7.80	13.80	5.00	12.20	5.90	8.50	1.75	5.10				
Mich.	6.80	20.00	6.30	16.60	6.30	15.70	6.00	9.50	6.00	8.20			3.50	10.00		
Wis.	12.20	18.40	10.80	17.00	10.50	16.80	6.50	9.70	6.90	8.50	2.00	5.60	11.10	11.40		
E.N.C.	9.30	17.91	8.06	15.03	7.85	14.35	6.39	9.71	6.29	8.36	1.81	5.39	9.72	10.62		
Minn.	9.40	16.70	8.00	14.50	7.10	13.40	5.50	11.50	6.60	9.00	1.40	4.15	8.70	9.60		
Iowa	8.00	16.70	6.40	16.40	5.50	15.20	5.00	12.30	6.00	8.20	1.70	4.50				
Mo.	8.50	18.80	7.40	16.30	7.20	15.50	5.00	13.50	5.80	8.00	1.40	4.05				
N.Dak.	7.50	14.50	5.20	12.90	5.00	10.20	4.90	11.00	5.00	8.10	1.80	2.95	8.70	9.70		
S.Dak.	7.60	17.60	5.20		5.00		5.90	15.10			1.65		8.00	7.00		
Nebr.	6.20	17.60	5.30	17.30	5.40	17.00	4.80	13.50	6.70	9.40			7.50	7.80		
Kans.	8.80	17.60	5.50	16.70	4.50	13.90	4.50	12.30	6.60	7.80			5.70	6.00		
W.N.C.	7.88	17.23	6.92	16.07	6.23	14.96	5.14	12.67	6.32	8.58	1.61	4.33	7.33	7.19		
Del.	14.00	15.00	10.60	12.10	10.60	12.60		10.00								
Md.	14.00	14.40	11.80	12.10	10.90	11.00		10.00	5.10	7.00						
Va.	14.00	14.10	12.50	12.20	11.00	12.10	6.50	8.50	8.00	9.50						
W.Va.	12.90	18.00	10.10	16.60	10.30	16.60	7.10	8.00								
N.C.	18.50	18.50	15.40	15.70	15.40	16.00	12.50	9.00								
S.C.	16.00						9.30	13.50								
Ga.	14.70	19.80					8.00	8.50								
Fla.							9.00									
S.A.	14.14	15.18	11.61	13.30	10.94	12.93	8.86	9.52	6.42	7.62						
Ky.	10.40	13.50	9.30	12.00	9.30	11.50	8.00	8.00	6.00	8.70						
Tenn.	13.20	13.70	11.20	13.30	11.40	13.40	7.10	8.60	6.00	9.00						
Ala.	13.50	17.50	13.00				6.50	9.40								
Miss.	13.00	14.50	10.40				6.50	7.40								
E.S.C.	11.24	13.82	9.98	12.59	10.05	12.36	6.80	8.36	6.00	8.91						
Ark.	12.00	15.50	9.90		9.30		6.10	10.50								
La.	11.80	15.90	9.00		9.00		6.90	6.80								
Okl.	9.90	16.90	5.50		4.40		4.75	10.20					5.20	5.40		
Tex.	11.10	19.00					7.00	10.20					5.20	7.00		
W.S.C.	10.65	17.00					5.71	10.12					5.20	5.61		
Mont.	6.40	9.80	5.90	10.20	6.20	9.20	6.20	9.20					8.70	7.20		
Idaho	6.30	7.70	5.70	7.50	6.20	8.40	6.06	7.00	5.50	7.80			7.89	7.10		
Wyo.	8.00	11.60	6.50	12.20	7.00	12.30	7.00	11.50	4.75	7.00			6.90	8.00		
Colo.	6.40	11.30	6.20	9.50	6.50	9.50	6.20	9.40	4.80	7.00			7.00	6.90		
N.Mex.	9.00	17.10	7.50	8.50	7.50	8.50	7.50	9.00					8.00	6.00		
Ariz.	5.50	9.90					6.50	8.00					5.70	4.60		
Utah	5.40	11.30	6.00	11.50	6.00	11.50	5.00	7.80					5.60	6.40		
Nev.	5.50	8.50	6.00	9.00	6.00	9.00	5.00	7.00								
Mount.	6.35	9.96	6.04	9.63	6.37	9.49	6.16	8.98	5.42	7.71			6.97	6.63		
Wash.	9.80	9.30	10.50	9.10	10.50	9.10	7.00	7.60								
Oreg.	9.10	7.80	10.60	7.70	10.50	9.00	7.00	7.00	6.50	7.80			9.20	9.60		
Calif.	7.20	9.00	8.50		6.00		5.00	5.50					4.95	4.80		
Pac.	7.77	8.88	10.53	8.51	10.50	9.06	6.44	6.58					5.84	5.26		
U.S.	7.90	13.51	8.78	14.50	8.63	14.00	5.54	11.03	6.28	8.39	1.65	4.65	7.05	7.02		

At 87, the general farm price index for August 15, was 15 points higher than a year earlier and at the highest level recorded since April 1931. Cotton and cottonseed prices were up 36 points from a year ago; grains, 26 points; chickens and eggs, 17; dairy products, 8; and meat animals, 5. The mid-August indexes for grain, and cotton and cottonseed exceeded their pre-war average for the first time since the summer of 1930 but still were about 16 points short of parity figures for this month. The August 15 price index for fruits and vegetables was 20 points lower than a year earlier, however, as a result of the sharp reduction in the farm price of potatoes.

The exchange value of farm products for commodities farmers buy, increased 5 points during the month ended August 15. At 71 percent of pre-war in mid-August, the ratio of prices received to prices paid by farmers was 7 points higher than a year earlier and equaled the temporary peak recorded in July of last year. Except for July 1933, the August 15 index of exchange value reached the highest level recorded since December 1930.

Citrus Fruits

Crop and State	Condition Sept. 1				Production ¹		
	Average, 1922-31	1932	1933	1934	Average, 1927-31	1932	1933
	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	1,000 boxes	1,000 boxes	1,000 boxes
Oranges:							
California, all	78	74	62	74	30,717	33,827	32,641
Navels	77	71	57	69			12,265
Valencias	78	76	68	77			20,376
Florida, all	81	65	79	79	13,757	16,200	17,800
Commercial					11,940	15,000	16,500
Tangerines	² 72	60	68	75			
Satsumas	² 62	56	51	75			
Texas		42	71	43	243	315	390
Arizona		84	80	77	115	147	143
Louisiana		85	80	90	209	241	212
Alabama					98	120	3
Mississippi					35	80	2
7 States ³					45,174	50,930	51,191
Grapefruit:							
Florida, all	76	56	71	77	10,928	11,800	10,700
Commercial					8,580	8,400	7,500
California		71	75	69	1,127	1,670	1,563
Texas		29	65	37	1,284	1,385	1,130
Arizona		82	84	80	320	614	700
4 States ³					13,660	15,469	14,093
Lemons:							
California	76	71	71	77	7,110	6,715	6,800
Limes:							
Florida	74	73	77	73	6	10	8

¹ Relates to crop produced from bloom of year shown, picking beginning Nov. 1 in California and about Sept. 1 in other States. Forecasts of production for the 1934-35 season will be issued after picking begins.

² Short-time average.

³ Net content of boxes varies. In California and Arizona the approximate average for oranges is 70 pounds net and for grapefruit 60 pounds; in Florida and other States oranges 83 pounds and grapefruit 73 pounds.

Condition of Specified Truck Crops on Sept. 1, 1934, with Comparisons

	10-year average 1923-32	Sept. 1, 1933	Aug. 1, 1934	Sept. 1, 1934
For market:	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
Lima beans (Virginia).....		22.0	72.0	67.0
Snap beans.....	¹ 76.6	69.8	68.5	75.5
Late (sec. 1).....	¹ 64.0	77.7	66.7	71.9
Late (sec. 2).....	¹ 78.6	66.9	91.0	77.4
Beets.....		83.8	85.0	80.0
Intermediate (New Jersey).....		90.0	85.0	80.0
Late (Pennsylvania).....		70.0	-----	80.0
Cabbage, late.....	76.5	56.4	74.6	74.1
Domestic.....	75.7	54.8	72.5	71.1
Danish.....	77.2	58.2	77.9	77.2
Cantaloups.....	77.6	84.8	74.2	74.7
Second early (California).....	¹ 78.0	80.0	85.0	80.0
Intermediate (Washington).....		80.0	85.0	80.0
Late.....	77.3	85.7	64.5	70.0
Carrots.....	85.6	80.4	66.8	82.5
Late.....	¹ 77.9	70.8	63.7	76.5
New crop (California).....	91.0	99.0	95.0	90.0
Cauliflower.....	76.3	66.9	75.2	78.3
Late.....	76.3	66.9	75.2	76.6
New crop (California).....			-----	80.0
Celery.....	83.3	73.4	77.7	74.9
Late (sec. 1).....	80.3	66.9	61.8	70.3
Late (sec. 2).....	¹ 78.5	62.3	78.0	88.0
New crop (California).....	90.0	88.0	95.0	80.0
Sweet corn (New Jersey).....	-----	70.0	87.0	87.0
Eggplant (New Jersey).....	¹ 79.0	75.0	90.0	82.0
Lettuce:				
Late (sec. 2).....	83.1	84.1	88.0	80.3
Onions, late.....	74.1	71.1	69.6	71.3
Green peas (California).....	¹ 85.0	75.0	90.0	95.0
Green peppers (New Jersey).....	¹ 82.0	75.0	83.0	75.0
Spinach.....	82.0	82.3	66.0	73.6
Intermediate (Colorado).....		76.0	66.0	68.0
Late (New Jersey).....	¹ 82.0	85.0	-----	83.0
Tomatoes, late.....	75.0	76.4	71.4	71.6
Watermelons, late.....	70.3	82.1	79.5	75.9
For manufacture:				
Lima beans.....	¹ 61.6	69.4	84.9	81.4
Snap beans.....	-----	58.1	64.4	58.9
Beets.....	¹ 70.9	60.7	68.7	63.0
Cabbage for kraut.....	75.6	55.6	72.8	70.2
Sweet corn.....	71.9	70.8	64.5	49.4
Cucumbers for pickles.....	64.2	-----	74.8	59.1
Tomatoes.....	67.8	60.0	71.3	63.1

Acreage, Production, and Preliminary Price of Specified Truck Crops for Market, 1934, with Comparisons

Beets

	Acreage			Yield per acre ¹			Production			Price per unit of production ²		
	5-year average 1928-32	1933	1934	5-year average 1928-32	1933	Preliminary 1934	5-year average 1928-32	1933	Preliminary 1934	5-year average 1928-32	1933	Preliminary 1934
	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Bushels</i>	<i>Bushels</i>	<i>Bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>
Early.....	4,710	5,600	6,900	181	110	130	830	616	897	0.35	0.19	0.25
Second early.....	2,390	1,850	1,820	113	107	182	264	198	332	.58	.42	.31
Intermediate.....	2,260	2,550	2,750	271	260	297	610	663	816	.87	.61	.40
Late (Pa.).....	250	400	400	317	450	<i>Indicated</i> 400	81	180	<i>Forecast</i> 160	.74	1.05	-----
Total all States.....	9,560	10,400	11,870	186	159	186	1,770	1,657	2,205	.58	.48	-----

Cabbage

				<i>Tons</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Preliminary tons</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Preliminary tons</i>			
Fall ³	810	1,300	1,000	6.9	4.2	7.6	5,900	5,400	7,600	42.20	11.11	30.13
Early.....	36,910	30,900	58,550	5.6	4.8	5.6	⁴ 208,900	⁴ 149,600	⁴ 326,500	24.60	13.40	9.69
Second early.....	13,440	13,800	15,300	5.8	4.7	5.3	78,700	64,600	⁴ 80,400	33.49	26.18	8.26
Intermediate ⁴	22,820	22,160	24,280	6.7	5.6	6.5	153,200	123,200	157,900	18.88	22.99	-----
Late ⁵	69,760	56,610	76,250	8.1	6.7	8.1	⁴ 563,500	380,700	615,200	-----	-----	-----
Domestic ⁶	35,130	29,010	38,700	8.3	6.3	7.6	⁴ 288,500	181,600	293,300	9.54	14.73	-----
Danish ⁶	34,630	27,600	37,550	8.0	7.2	8.6	⁴ 275,000	199,100	321,900	11.99	16.87	-----
Total all States ⁴	143,740	124,770	175,380	7.05	5.80	6.77	⁴ 1,010,300	⁴ 723,500	⁴ 1,187,600	16.16	17.48	-----
For kraut.....	20,260	16,440	20,030	8.29	5.80	7.70	165,900	95,400	154,200	7.53	11.07	-----
For market.....	123,480	108,330	155,350	6.84	5.80	6.65	⁴ 844,400	⁴ 628,100	⁴ 1,033,400	17.90	18.47	-----

Carrots

				<i>Bushels</i>	<i>Bushels</i>	<i>Preliminary, bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>	<i>Preliminary, 1,000 bushels</i>			
Fall ³	3,280	5,030	5,800	548	494	490	1,831	2,485	2,842	0.69	0.54	0.59
Early.....	8,470	11,300	7,770	218	139	189	⁴ 1,840	1,573	1,659	.44	.18	.22
Second early.....	8,550	8,770	11,180	397	415	461	⁴ 3,433	3,637	5,157	.64	.58	.50
Intermediate.....	1,830	1,650	1,950	266	278	343	⁴ 489	458	668	.83	.72	.50
Late.....	5,410	⁶ 5,840	6,330	462	425	<i>Indicated</i> 440	⁴ 2,536	⁶ 2,482	<i>Forecast</i> 2,783	.53	.39	-----
Total, all States.....	27,530	⁶ 32,590	34,030	363	326	385	⁴ 10,127	⁶ 10,635	13,109	.59	.47	-----

Celery

				<i>Crates</i>	<i>Crates</i>	<i>Preliminary, crates</i>	<i>1,000 crates</i>	<i>1,000 crates</i>	<i>Preliminary, 1,000 crates</i>			
Fall and winter ³	7,180	3,500	5,800	173	198	192	1,240	693	1,114	1.18	1.19	1.10
Early.....	7,620	8,830	7,850	359	297	314	2,716	⁴ 2,621	2,465	2.18	1.15	1.76
Second early.....	1,000	1,500	1,200	⁴ 620	429	<i>Indicated</i> 249	⁴ 590	644	299	1.66	1.98	-----
Intermediate.....	3,700	3,780	3,810	273	239	223	1,012	902	848	1.62	1.07	-----
Late (sec. 1).....	11,650	12,100	11,970	287	276	257	⁴ 3,348	3,345	3,072	1.27	1.28	-----
Late (sec. 2).....	1,450	1,540	1,640	303	272	-----	439	419	-----	1.35	1.32	-----
Total, all States.....	32,600	31,250	32,270	287	276	-----	⁴ 9,345	⁴ 8,624	-----	1.58	1.27	-----

Lettuce

						<i>Preliminary</i>			<i>Preliminary</i>			
Early.....	49,740	44,150	44,250	121	110	102	5,820	4,848	⁴ 4,497	1.62	1.23	1.32
Second early.....	46,640	42,000	42,500	106	110	124	4,855	4,620	5,269	1.65	1.28	1.84
Intermediate.....	4,230	5,560	6,090	202	196	190	⁴ 851	1,091	1,160	1.10	.74	1.11
Late (sec. 1).....	25,210	20,730	25,210	145	134	<i>Indicated</i> 136	⁴ 3,625	2,768	<i>Forecast</i> 3,441	1.50	1.34	-----
Late (sec. 2).....	29,450	28,670	34,050	140	141	-----	⁴ 4,011	4,047	-----	1.73	1.40	-----
Total, all States.....	155,270	141,110	152,100	125	123	-----	⁴ 19,163	17,374	-----	1.59	1.27	-----

Onions

				<i>Bushels</i>	<i>Bushels</i>	<i>Preliminary, bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>	<i>Preliminary, 1,000 bushels</i>			
Early.....	22,780	19,650	24,100	199	138	149	⁴ 4,537	2,708	3,581	0.92	0.58	0.58
Intermediate.....	8,330	9,100	11,500	288	290	267	⁴ 2,405	2,638	3,074	.71	.76	.77
Late.....	53,040	50,620	46,560	315	320	<i>Indicated</i> 338	⁴ 16,847	16,207	<i>Forecast</i> 15,748	.69	.58	-----
Total, all States.....	84,150	79,370	82,160	282	272	273	⁴ 23,789	21,553	22,403	.72	.60	-----

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Acreage, Production, and Preliminary Price of Specified Truck Crops for Market, 1934, with Comparisons—Con.

Green Peas

	Acreage			Yield per acre ¹			Production			Price per unit of production ²		
	5-year average 1928-32	1933	1934	5-year average 1928-32	1933	Preliminary 1934	5-year average 1928-32	1933	Preliminary 1934	5-year average 1928-32	1933	Preliminary 1934
	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Bushels</i>	<i>Bushels</i>	<i>Bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>
Early	6,470	8,700	12,100	70	50	77	438	433	931	2.11	1.86	1.27
Second early	29,770	49,010	46,370	78	83	56	2,177	4,054	2,578	1.53	.83	1.36
Intermediate (sec. 1)	6,320	5,680	4,600	73	56	65	463	317	300	.93	.43	.90
Intermediate (sec. 2)	4,340	3,150	3,130	64	41	69	282	128	216	1.18	.93	1.41
						<i>Indicated</i>			<i>Forecast</i>			
Late (sec. 1)	18,040	22,650	20,320	92	101	94	1,667	2,293	1,902	1.27	.72	-----
Late (sec. 2)	6,570	10,000	11,000	98	91	113	587	910	1,243	1.99	1.32	-----
Late (sec. 3)	8,530	10,820	-----	52	38	-----	448	416	-----	1.96	1.60	-----
Total, all States	80,040	110,010	-----	78	78	-----	6,060	8,551	-----	1.51	.93	-----

Spinach

						<i>Preliminary</i>			<i>Preliminary</i>			
Fall ³	2,940	2,350	1,850	271	250	175	888	588	324	.69	.41	.44
Early	30,860	46,400	38,500	246	145	182	⁴ 7,599	6,711	7,017	.45	.35	.37
Second early	8,620	8,550	6,860	304	281	268	2,635	2,400	1,837	.51	.37	.46
						<i>Indicated</i>			<i>Forecast</i>			
Intermediate	470	770	730	168	115	120	⁴ 77	89	88	.48	.40	-----
Late	4,870	5,940	5,940	287	296	-----	1,381	1,758	-----	.56	.42	-----
Total, all States	47,760	64,010	53,880	263	180	-----	⁴ 12,580	11,546	-----	.49	.37	-----

Tomatoes

						<i>Preliminary</i>			<i>Preliminary</i>			
Fall ³	4,010	6,100	4,300	65	41	78	257	250	334	2.56	2.17	2.19
Early (sec. 1)	10,990	12,900	15,000	114	132	134	1,218	1,703	2,010	2.89	1.80	2.60
Early (sec. 2)	26,600	25,400	23,600	76	67	74	2,027	1,694	1,758	2.53	1.56	2.48
Second early	34,220	34,000	40,800	104	78	101	⁴ 3,498	2,666	⁴ 4,124	1.45	1.52	.64
Intermediate	35,960	37,210	43,490	134	120	131	⁴ 4,805	⁴ 4,450	5,714	1.06	.86	1.06
						<i>Indicated</i>			<i>Forecast</i>			
Late (sec. 1)	29,020	31,470	33,200	141	139	134	⁴ 4,058	4,383	4,461	1.00	.76	-----
Late (sec. 2)	9,560	6,850	7,300	90	101	94	814	692	686	1.67	1.50	-----
Total, all States	150,360	153,930	167,690	111	103	114	⁴ 16,677	⁴ 15,838	⁴ 19,087	1.49	1.17	-----

Kale

						<i>Preliminary</i>			<i>Preliminary</i>			
Virginia	1,920	1,800	1,500	412	500	150	766	900	225	.39	.35	.40

¹ Yield per acre of celery in $\frac{2}{3}$ size (N.Y.) crate and lettuce in Western (4 dozen) crate.² Average seasonal price paid to growers.³ Fall crop States supply earliest new crop movement, starting in fall preceding year shown.⁴ Includes some quantities not harvested and excluded in computing total value.⁵ Includes cabbage for kraut.⁶ Revised.

Acreage and Forecast of Production of Specified Truck Crops for Manufacture, or Canning, 1934, with Comparisons

Crop	Average			Yield per acre			Production		
	5-year average 1928-32	1933	1934	5-year average 1928-32	1933	1934	5-year average 1928-32	1933	1934
Lima beans	<i>Acres</i> ¹ 25,550	<i>Acres</i> 16,430	<i>Acres</i> 25,000	<i>Pounds</i> ¹ 1,001	<i>Pounds</i> 1,079	<i>Pounds</i> 1,359	<i>Tons</i> ¹ 12,620	<i>Tons</i> 8,860	<i>Tons</i> 16,990
Snap beans	54,710	40,770	48,900	1.36	1.47	1.34	73,100	59,960	65,380
Cabbage for kraut	20,260	16,440	20,030	8.29	5.80	7.70	165,900	95,400	154,200
Sweet corn	312,600	197,570	314,980	² 2.04	² 2.00	² 1.46	² 626,070	² 395,770	² 460,800
Pimientos	8,490	5,850	9,730	1.75	1.34	1.60	15,000	7,860	15,530
Tomatoes	315,830	276,050	407,130	4.06	3.90	3.68	1,293,020	1,077,700	1,500,100

¹ 4-year average.² Tonnage of sweet corn in husk.

Livestock-Meats-Wool

Amount of Federally Inspected Meats Apparently Available for Consumption, per Capita

July 1934, with Comparisons

	Beef and veal ¹		Pork (including lard)		Lamb and mutton		Total	
	Total	Per capita ²	Total	Per capita ²	Total	Per capita ²	Total	Per capita ²
	Million lb.	Lb.	Million lb.	Lb.	Million lb.	Lb.	Million lb.	Lb.
July 1934.....	440	3.5	494	3.9	47	0.38	981	7.8
July 1933.....	423	3.4	576	4.6	51	.41	1,051	8.4
Increase or decrease.....	+17	+.1	-82	-.7	-4	-.03	-70	-.6
Percent ²	+3.8		-14.4		-7.1		-6.6	
Accumulation:								
January-July 1934.....	3,253	25.7	3,985	31.5	345	2.74	7,583	60.0
January-July 1933.....	2,756	22.0	4,115	32.8	384	3.07	7,256	57.9
Increase or decrease.....	+497	+3.7	-130	-1.3	-39	-.33	+327	+2.1
Percent ²	+18.0		-3.2		-10.2		+4.5	

¹ Excludes beef and veal from animals purchased for Federal Surplus Relief Corporation.

² Per capita consumption and percent of increase or decrease computed on full number of pounds.

Animals Slaughtered under Federal Meat Inspection, August 1934

Station	Cattle ¹	Calves ¹	Sheep and lambs	Goats	Swine
Baltimore.....	12,388	5,018	(2)		56,647
Buffalo.....	18,312	5,113	7,443		40,611
Chicago.....	246,915	126,150	296,240		402,119
Cincinnati.....	23,048	7,445	15,772		49,236
Cleveland.....	5,813	(2)			26,158
Denver.....	37,076	19,454	(2)		28,592
Detroit.....	11,660	10,261	7,858		64,672
Fort Worth.....	74,992	56,907	15,893		33,581
Kansas City.....	160,864	93,416	97,394		139,231
Milwaukee.....	29,746	40,520	(2)		72,764
National Stockyards.....	125,371	83,160	45,204		154,606
New York.....	44,316	75,534	263,090		(2)
Omaha.....	137,391	37,463	155,330		124,628
Philadelphia.....	17,768	12,119	24,760		61,836
Sioux City.....	69,739	33,172	70,481		85,910
South St. Paul.....	96,812	113,437	86,837		78,668
All other stations.....	474,083	251,037	437,026	391	1,221,878
Total:					
August 1934.....	1,576,204	970,211	1,523,328	391	2,641,187
August 1933.....	840,262	415,816	1,532,240	667	3,476,715
8 months ended August 1934.....	7,648,648	4,909,820	10,292,371	5,198	29,220,482
8 months ended August 1933.....	5,475,137	3,220,295	11,330,399	4,481	32,099,344

¹ Includes cattle and calves purchased and slaughtered for Federal Surplus Relief Corporation.

² Included in all other stations.

Horses slaughtered:	
August 1934.....	2,047
August 1933.....	4,133
8 months ended August 1934.....	11,311
8 months ended August 1933.....	25,549

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Inspections of lard at all establishments, 114,323,906 inspection pounds; compound and other substitutes, 30,214,016 inspection pounds; sausage, 70,755,378 inspection pounds.

Corresponding inspections for July 1933: Lard, 161,925,156 inspection pounds; compound and other substitutes, 33,930,068 inspection pounds; sausage, 66,240,777 inspection pounds.

(These totals of inspection pounds do not represent actual production as the same product may have been inspected and recorded more than once in the process of manufacture.)

Cause of Condemnation of Carcasses, June 1934

Cause	Cattle	Calves	Sheep and lambs	Swine
Emaciation.....	5,474	1,836	411	72
Hog cholera.....				461
Inflammatory diseases.....	1,843	405	698	2,561
Immaturity.....		216		
Tuberculosis.....	2,193	64		3,788
Other causes.....	1,749	288	550	4,870
Total.....	11,259	2,809	1,659	11,752

Classification of Livestock Slaughtered in the United States¹

Month	Cattle			Swine		Sheep and lambs	
	Steers	Cows and heifers	Bulls and stags	Barrows	Sows	Stags and boars	Sheep
1933	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.
January.....	56.51	40.33	3.16	54.37	45.31	0.32	96.49
February.....	54.37	42.91	2.72	53.36	46.27	.37	95.43
March.....	55.06	41.70	3.24	52.23	47.30	.47	96.87
April.....	54.26	41.94	3.80	52.74	46.65	.61	96.27
May.....	53.65	41.44	4.91	49.71	49.63	.66	95.61
June.....	50.63	43.89	5.43	46.56	52.84	.60	95.99
July.....	50.63	44.15	5.22	40.48	58.93	.59	96.71
August.....	50.29	45.64	4.07	40.47	58.86	.67	95.94
September.....	49.13	46.08	4.79	42.06	57.32	.62	94.76
October.....	50.14	46.71	3.15	44.52	54.90	.58	94.41
November.....	49.47	47.57	2.96	48.08	51.56	.35	95.15
December.....	53.91	43.42	2.67	50.76	48.91	.33	96.18
Average.....	52.02	44.09	3.89	48.14	51.35	.51	95.77
1934							
January.....	54.43	42.59	2.98	52.01	47.65	.34	95.64
February.....	53.47	44.05	2.48	48.85	50.67	.48	95.35
March.....	52.98	43.79	3.23	48.49	50.83	.68	96.51
April.....	54.95	41.64	3.41	48.20	51.14	.66	96.24
May.....	49.53	46.74	3.73	47.79	51.41	.80	92.93
June ²	48.55	47.63	3.82	44.40	54.85	.75	95.53
July ²	44.47	51.89	3.64	39.70	59.55	.75	95.76

¹ Based on reports from about 500 packers and slaughterers whose slaughterings equaled nearly 75 percent of total slaughtered under Federal inspection.

² As far as can be ascertained at this time, there are no "drought-stricken cattle or calves purchased for Federal Surplus Relief Corporation" included in the material from which these percentages were derived.

Sources of Livestock Slaughtered in the United States¹

Month	Cattle		Calves		Swine		Sheep and lambs	
	Purchased in public stock-yards	Other sources	Purchased in public stock-yards	Other sources	Purchased in public stock-yards	Other sources	Purchased in public stock-yards	Other sources
1933	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.
January.....	82.14	17.86	72.47	27.53	49.83	50.17	77.06	22.94
February.....	84.90	15.10	74.16	25.84	52.78	47.22	81.63	18.37
March.....	80.94	19.06	71.47	28.53	54.85	45.15	80.94	19.06
April.....	82.83	17.17	73.20	26.80	55.09	44.91	83.11	16.89
May.....	83.11	16.89	75.80	24.20	56.70	43.30	81.33	18.67
June.....	82.45	17.55	74.15	25.85	55.98	44.02	89.10	19.90
July.....	82.78	17.22	73.43	26.57	57.88	42.12	78.60	21.40
August.....	85.94	14.06	76.28	23.72	57.78	42.22	80.04	19.96
September.....	83.26	16.74	74.81	25.19	58.93	41.07	74.02	25.98
October.....	83.37	16.63	71.66	28.34	57.91	42.09	74.86	25.14
November.....	83.03	16.97	74.42	25.58	62.51	37.49	78.17	21.83
December.....	83.09	16.91	71.83	28.12	54.91	45.09	75.93	24.07
Average.....	83.53	16.47	73.73	26.27	56.20	43.80	78.79	21.21
1934								
January.....	83.29	16.71	71.21	28.79	58.27	41.73	74.43	25.57
February.....	84.42	15.58	74.04	25.96	57.68	42.32	79.07	20.93
March.....	81.36	18.64	72.18	27.82	58.44	41.56	78.83	21.17
April.....	82.16	17.84	71.89	28.11	59.31	40.69	81.76	18.24
May.....	82.60	17.40	71.90	28.10	59.54	40.46	78.71	21.29
June ²	81.03	18.97	69.72	30.28	57.69	42.31	78.55	21.45
July ²	79.86	20.14	68.65	31.35	59.49	40.51	76.74	23.26

¹ Based on reports from about 500 packers and slaughterers whose slaughterings equaled nearly 75 percent of total slaughtered under Federal inspection.

² As far as can be ascertained at this time, there are no "drought-stricken cattle or calves purchased for Federal Surplus Relief Corporation" included in the material from which these percentages were derived.

Beef Steers Sold Out of First Hands at Chicago for Slaughter

August 1934, with Comparisons

Grade	Number of head			Percent of total by grades			Average weight (pounds)			Average price per 100 pounds		
	August 1934	July 1934	August 1933	August 1934	July 1934	August 1933	August 1934	July 1934	August 1933	August 1934	July 1934	August 1933
Choice and prime.....	20,406	22,760	14,912	23.7	31.8	14.5	1,088	1,061	1,204	\$8.68	\$8.37	\$6.75
Good.....	50,594	36,964	61,835	58.8	51.7	60.0	996	1,000	1,058	7.39	7.12	5.98
Medium.....	10,546	8,326	21,715	12.2	11.7	21.1	916	920	970	5.52	5.39	5.19
Common.....	4,537	3,412	4,522	5.3	4.8	4.4	927	945	985	3.81	3.93	4.22
Total.....	86,083	71,462	102,984	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,005	1,008	1,057	7.34	7.21	5.88

Statistical Report of the Livestock and Meat Situation, July 1934, with Comparisons

Item	Unit	July			Total or average, January-July		
		5-year average 1	1933	1934	5-year average 1	1933	1934
Cattle, Calves, Beef, and Veal							
Inspected slaughter:							
Cattle	Number	697,539	752,105	2 829,097	4,565,542	4,634,875	5,608,914
Calves	do.	364,014	401,329	2 526,124	2,734,637	2,804,479	3,636,536
Carcasses condemned:							
Cattle	do.	4,188	5,881	2 6,319	30,026	32,843	46,002
Calves	do.	461	636	2 814	6,536	8,578	11,212
Average live weight: 3							
Cattle	Pound	943.84	932.55	900.79	955.14	958.29	936.51
Calves	do.	184.31	182.47	188.93	168.11	169.61	174.09
Average dressed weight: 3							
Cattle	do.	522.87	515.62	484.21	529.94	535.40	514.93
Calves	do.	104.64	104.62	105.82	97.43	99.12	100.12
Total dressed weight (carcass, excluding condemned):							
Beef	1,000 pounds	362,535	384,768	395,397	2,403,546	2,463,911	2,864,530
Veal	do.	38,043	41,921	55,883	265,804	277,134	362,954
Storage beginning of month or period:							
Fresh beef	do.	30,488	23,164	26,988	55,404	29,279	58,377
Cured beef	do.	15,420	11,972	18,483	19,426	13,801	20,855
Storage end of month or period:							
Fresh beef	do.	29,015	27,972	40,363	29,015	27,972	40,363
Cured beef	do.	15,009	13,851	21,182	15,009	13,851	21,182
Exports: 4							
Fresh beef and veal	do.	287	291	926	2,202	1,470	3,240
Cured beef	do.	1,280	1,032	1,232	6,663	6,424	8,492
Canned beef	do.	132	111	92	1,022	730	1,288
Oleo oil and stearin	do.	4,057	2,207	1,748	31,738	23,684	16,416
Tallow	do.	502	1,001	419	2,288	3,343	7,133
Imports: 5							
Fresh beef and veal	do.	959	41	26	6,864	398	130
Beef and veal, pickled or cured	do.	352	53	68	1,387	418	422
Beef, canned	do.	3,808	4,422	4,287	29,155	22,195	20,013
Receipts, cattle and calves 6	Thousand	1,481	1,456	7 2,985	10,158	9,393	12,758
Stocker and feeder shipments 6	do.	135	110	7 480	1,135	988	1,354
Cattle on farms Jan. 1	do.		65,552	67,352			
Price per 100 pounds:							
Cattle, average cost for slaughter 3	Dollar	7.22	4.60	4.55	7.33	4.26	4.60
Calves, average cost for slaughter 3	do.	7.69	4.61	3.93	8.22	4.67	4.71
Cattle, Good steers, 900-1,300 pounds, Chicago	do.	9.29	6.12	7.39	9.78	5.88	6.77
Veal calves, Medium to Choice, Chicago	do.	8.63	5.44	4.60	8.66	5.12	5.23
Beef carcasses, Good grade, eastern markets	do.	14.99	9.44	12.49	14.97	9.06	10.72
Veal carcasses, Good grade, eastern markets	do.	15.68	9.59	8.94	15.99	9.74	10.06
Hogs, Pork, and Pork Products							
Inspected slaughter, hogs	Number	3,253,360	3,914,452	3,323,440	27,399,964	28,622,629	26,579,295
Carcasses condemned	do.	11,327	16,161	10,708	78,989	85,469	82,299
Average live weight 3	Pound	248.24	241.93	232.60	233.28	232.24	224.90
Average dressed weight 3	do.	186.86	181.60	173.34	176.80	176.31	168.98
Total dressed weight (carcass, excluding condemned)	1,000 pounds	605,821	707,930	574,229	4,830,388	5,031,509	4,477,443
Lard per 100 pounds live weight 3	Pound	15.46	15.73	13.90	15.69	15.85	14.86
Storage beginning of month or period:							
Fresh pork	1,000 pounds	209,111	212,734	167,969	132,681	101,793	129,763
Cured pork	do.	547,051	547,996	460,456	440,558	389,057	499,933
Lard	do.	150,439	186,250	195,135	62,212	41,088	132,510
Storage end of month or period:							
Fresh pork	do.	190,936	228,177	181,254	190,936	228,177	181,254
Cured pork	do.	534,861	580,145	462,312	534,861	580,145	462,312
Lard	do.	156,833	219,259	209,497	156,833	219,259	209,497
Exports:							
Fresh pork	do.	670	938	2,872	6,880	5,475	21,298
Cured pork	do.	17,522	12,597	13,520	117,803	65,432	63,986
Canned pork	do.	800	949	991	6,535	6,216	7,281
Sausage	do.	546	708	712	3,701	4,205	4,863
Lard	do.	45,166	36,628	33,860	332,653	345,672	310,080
Imports: 5							
Fresh pork	do.	130	35	3	1,070	411	98
Pork, pickled, salted, and other	do.	70	46	28	799	413	268
Prepared or preserved hams, shoulders, and bacon	do.	159	169	65	1,282	1,163	464
Receipts of hogs 6	Thousand	2,743	2,871	2,519	23,121	20,899	20,394
Stocker and feeder shipments 6	do.	34	42	46	282	231	271
Hogs on farms Jan. 1	do.		61,320	55,976			
Price per 100 pounds:							
Average cost for slaughter 3	Dollar	7.04	4.28	4.31	6.96	3.80	3.80
At Chicago—Live hogs, medium weight	do.	7.65	4.66	4.77	7.31	4.08	4.23
At eastern markets:							
Fresh pork loins, 10-15 pounds	do.	17.26	8.51	13.32	15.83	8.83	13.21
Shoulders, skinned	do.	12.73	7.07	10.94	12.41	7.09	10.31
Picnics, 6-8 pounds	do.	12.03	6.73	10.22	11.37	6.63	9.67
Butts, Boston style	do.	15.27	8.46	13.64	14.64	8.34	12.43
Bacon, breakfast, No. 1, sweet pickle cure, 8-10 pounds	do.	18.34	12.79	16.46	17.59	10.74	14.19
Hams, smoked, No. 2, 12-14 pounds	do.	18.56	13.17	16.91	17.76	11.20	14.00
Lard, hardwood tubs	do.	9.78	8.01	8.14	9.58	6.53	7.61
Sheep, Lamb, and Mutton							
Inspected slaughter, sheep and lambs	Number	1,387,860	1,398,742	1,293,812	9,427,715	9,798,159	8,769,043
Carcasses condemned	do.	1,355	1,423	1,669	9,029	9,245	11,492
Average live weight 3	Pound	76.29	76.44	76.84	82.48	82.92	83.19
Average dressed weight 3	do.	36.63	36.40	36.80	38.94	39.16	39.17
Total dressed weight (carcass, excluding condemned)	1,000 pounds	50,782	50,862	47,531	366,782	383,371	343,057
Storage, fresh lamb and mutton:							
Beginning of month or period	do.	2,677	1,807	1,450	4,140	2,767	4,012
End of month or period	do.	2,323	1,594	1,518	2,323	1,594	1,515
Exports, fresh lamb and mutton 4	do.	98	23	33	510	158	351
Imports, fresh lamb and mutton 4	do.	120	2	2	370	15	4
Receipts of sheep 6	Thousand	2,282	2,228	2,152	15,046	14,372	12,760
Stocker and feeder shipments 6	do.	194	108	190	1,040	702	865
Sheep on farms January 1	do.		51,736	51,374			
Price per 100 pounds:							
Average cost for slaughter 3	Dollar	8.18	6.95	6.85	8.59	5.87	8.19
At Chicago:							
Lambs, 90 pounds down, Good and Choice	do.	9.21	7.67	7.32	9.63	6.34	7.43
Sheep, Medium to Choice	do.	3.05	2.09	2.06	4.27	2.35	3.46
At eastern markets:							
Lamb carcasses, Good grade	do.	20.05	14.41	15.22	19.89	13.62	13.88
Mutton, Good grade	do.	10.19	6.06	8.60	11.02	6.87	8.78

¹ 1929-33.² Does not include Government purchases in drought areas as follows: For slaughter, cattle 362,334, calves 243,855; carcasses condemned, cattle, 9,702, calves, 3,207.³ Weighted average.⁴ Includes reexports when reported.⁵ Beginning 1934 figures are for imports for consumption.⁶ Public stockyards.⁷ Figures for July 1934 include cattle and calves purchased for Federal Surplus Relief Corporation.⁸ New York only.

Receipts and Disposition of Livestock at Public Stockyards for August

[62 markets]

Market	Cattle ¹ (excluding calves)								Calves ¹							
	Receipts		Local slaughter		Stocker and feeder shipments		Total shipments		Receipts		Local slaughter		Stocker and feeder shipments		Total shipments	
	1934	1933	1934	1933	1934	1933	1934	1933	1934	1933	1934	1933	1934	1933	1934	1933
Atlanta, Ga.	31,620	1,626	1,172	1,112			30,535	477	131	583	60	285			58	298
Baltimore, Md.	21,354	11,886	14,826	8,131	508	288	6,528	3,755	12,012	5,903	9,061	4,702			2,951	1,141
Birmingham, Ala.	8,985	1,004	(?)	638	(?)	(?)	8,371	139			178	(?)	(?)	(?)	153	(?)
Boston, Mass.	4,697	3,753	(?)	293	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	6,675	6,506	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)
Buffalo, N.Y.	19,755	15,429	12,462	9,300	64	92	7,744	7,247	20,674	18,572	4,805	4,125			15,905	14,408
Chattanooga, Tenn.	2,831	2,181	2,690	1,715	135	466	135	466								
Cheyenne, Wyo.	427	1,540			427	1,540	427	1,540								
Chicago, Ill.	297,369	204,287	248,534	146,918	8,495	9,422	48,835	57,369	105,564	38,011	103,736	37,649			1,828	362
Cincinnati, Ohio	85,327	20,332	31,041	17,189	1,430	487	54,286	3,193	14,952	9,371	8,056	6,955			6,906	2,416
Cleveland, Ohio	8,733	7,276	8,533	6,870	63	175	200	406	10,145	11,199	9,867	10,465			278	734
Dallas, Tex.	1,745	2,682	1,741	2,546				350	2,713	3,197	2,834	3,187				111
Dayton, Ohio	2,103	1,345	2,065	1,315			40	30	624	444	624	413				31
Denver, Colo.	100,963	19,250	38,578	12,514	35,440	3,930	54,505	7,064	23,615	2,990	18,889	2,089	1,277	604	3,601	654
Detroit, Mich.	13,037	9,354	12,452	9,253			585	101	13,220	12,461	10,335	7,561			2,685	4,900
E. St. Louis, Ill.	241,417	73,631	106,711	33,897	36,153	5,617	135,136	39,734	97,903	41,296	63,066	23,319	277		34,837	17,977
El Paso, Tex.	15,533	3,774	3,533	625	3,465	1,889	11,800	3,149	5,033	3,362	200	1,085	1,688	1,264	4,833	2,277
Evansville, Ind.	3,877	3,559	2,950	3,016	551	412	899	512	6,375	4,622	5,061	4,349	1,162	285	1,162	287
Fort Worth, Tex.	157,284	38,040	63,522	24,562	26,180	6,983	78,992	12,799	72,286	22,131	63,510	17,152	12,353	2,963	23,818	5,789
Indianapolis, Ind.	49,662	22,625	14,750	17,323	5,420	1,869	35,472	5,675	21,438	14,202	8,385	5,983	356		13,053	8,219
Jacksonville, Fla.	4,645	381	5,174	248	102	27	626	111	44	115	4	23	10	87	39	91
Jersey City, N.J.	31,431	20,257	31,431	20,257					58,919	45,749	58,919	45,749				
Joplin, Mo.	3,384	3,430	1,113	737	831	955	2,271	2,693	7,980	7,450	257	90	315	353	7,723	7,370
Kansas City, Mo.	442,633	140,549	166,397	79,612	163,955	45,060	283,440	68,172	133,027	26,879	78,768	18,188	20,447	8,422	54,266	10,912
Knoxville, Tenn.	2,233	1,836	1,831	1,126	402		402	710	2,107	1,661	2,107	1,661				
La Fayette, Ind.	382	449	259	235	33	18	127	212	979	861	178	86	16	32	826	791
Lancaster, Pa.	32,246	18,686	587	44	21,011		31,659	18,642	3,670	3,458	161	106			3,509	3,352
Laredo, Tex.	476	198	59	192	417	6	417	6	25	120		119	25	1	25	1
Los Angeles, Calif.	43,840	16,660	43,977	16,583	2,526	1,108	2,526	1,108	13,383	6,236	12,923	5,870	291	212	291	212
Louisville, Ky.	29,133	6,139	8,521	2,370	5,215	2,566	20,612	3,769	16,076	11,349	8,009	4,313			8,067	7,036
Marion, Ohio	95	274	21		9	10	72	281	148	177	4		1	1	143	178
Memphis, Tenn.	61,111	7,280	16,853	5,044	4,608	466	46,930	1,892	4,832	2,713	3,917	2,336	933	41	1,131	315
Milwaukee, Wis.	40,785	17,521	25,036	15,609	392	637	15,755	1,926	38,272	25,754	38,272	25,754				
Montgomery, Ala.	41,096	3,859	3,870	1,799	38,330	1,043	39,848	2,044	6,433	2,779	987	648	43	6	5,446	1,638
Moultrie, Ga.	1,049	180	95	47	919	97	979	97								
Nashville, Tenn.	7,787	5,133	2,455	3,562	1,900	1,099	5,332	1,571	10,070	6,596	2,199	1,294			7,871	5,302
Newark, N.J.	2,821	2,111	2,536	2,002	135	151	135	151	2,223	1,665	2,223	1,665				
New Orleans, La.	3,597	2,664	1,485	1,050	1,603	1,132	2,100	1,552	9,106	7,054	8,895	6,431	302	720	302	936
New York, N.Y.	7,726	1,141	7,726	1,119				22	18,134	13,132	18,134	13,126				6
North Salt Lake, Utah	24,652	4,621	3,383	1,184	2,000	100	22,772	3,314	595	31	595	31				
Ogden, Utah	30,117	4,354	7,601	1,352	2,142	855	22,786	3,124	1,788	301	970	61	118	113	829	235
Oklahoma City, Okla.	111,088	23,419	47,651	13,781	6,917	6,832	56,057	9,834	28,700	5,202	18,183	4,261	1,666	873	9,066	959
Omaha, Nebr.	244,713	140,001	132,743	98,273	59,288	17,267	115,247	44,424	58,695	7,361	34,473	6,475	3,049	1,277	24,160	1,277
Pasco, Wash.	1,186	52					1,186	52	841	4					841	4
Peoria, Ill.	22,429	4,250	1,703	1,095	17,368	615	20,936	3,216	5,888	4,579	910	875	214	120	4,976	3,769
Philadelphia, Pa.	6,032	4,608	6,013	4,538			19	70	9,298	9,074	9,298	8,750				324
Pittsburgh, Pa.	43,617	23,200	7,176	5,036			36,441	18,164	36,847	28,795	7,892	5,535			28,955	23,260
Portland, Ore.	18,322	9,849	13,265	6,607	526	315	5,057	3,423	3,167	1,092	2,899	927			268	55
Pueblo, Colo.	3,634	453	507		341	99	3,050	409	441	1,822	275			1,822	225	1,822
Richmond, Va.	20,083	1,084	1,298	805	105	113	18,785	279	1,645	1,386	1,435	944			210	442
St. Joseph, Mo.	112,399	41,427	68,504	34,073	35,338	4,705	45,714	8,430	27,599	7,076	27,180	6,039	407	1,559	409	1,677
San Antonio, Tex.	13,138	4,856	8,183	2,150	297	1,042	4,616	2,724	8,488	7,152	5,265	3,614	391	949	2,819	3,551
Seattle, Wash.	4,796	3,737	4,685	3,568			111	169	590	208	590	208				
Sioux City, Iowa	174,012	81,265	74,704	44,527	73,458	29,708	99,308	36,738	57,578	4,463	27,418	860	10,972	3,379	30,160	3,603
Sioux Falls, S.D.	11,319	12,308	3,474	4,275	3,745	4,522	7,981	8,263	2,332	1,506	65	84	1,120	1,150	2,347	1,542
So. St. Paul, Minn.	261,145	90,047	93,036	52,352	104,565	23,452	182,275	38,963	127,091	39,814	100,355	39,948	1,404	1,391	21,177	1,518
So. San Francisco, Calif.	12,862	5,428	7,628	3,045	160		3,065	2,391	2,792	514	2,332	353			123	161
Spokane, Wash.	8,265	3,476	6,078	2,718	1,104	569	1,596	781	4,297	299	3,067	229	74	47	313	48
Springfield, Ill.	177	330	138	203	30	31	33	121	590	609	580	427	19	25	210	178
Springfield, Mo.	4,367	3,861	316	327	142	246	4,051	3,544	10,072	9,998	262	222	95	181	9,810	9,776
Stockton, Calif.	3,168	(?)	(?)	(?)	327	(?)	3,189	(?)	506	(?)	(?)	(?)	16	(?)	519	(?)
Toledo, Ohio	1,503	1,077	456	693	723	340	845	340	178	192	178	113		79		79
Wichita, Kans.	115,843	16,550	14,381	9,261	62,606	6,289	99,248	9,392	33,541	5,432	8,990	3,170	11,197	1,737	22,868	3,337
Discontinued markets		68		68						499		499				
Total	3,071,403	1,172,730	1,388,553	738,646	731,523	183,081	1,679,089	447,130	1,162,688	496,013	797,836	340,462	70,238	29,694	361,994	155,362
Increase or decrease	+1,898,673		+649,907		+543,442		+1,231,959		+666,675		+457,374		+40,554		+206,632	
Percentage	+161.9		+55.0		+74.4		+74.5		+57.3		+46.3		+5.7		+57.3	
Total for 8 months ended with August	11,732,757	7,478,102	6,604,586	4,664,219	1,901,716	1,067,473	4,965,148	2,740,759	5,253,565	3,583,583	3,783,703	2,500,697	253,884	193,396	1,475,739	1,068,683
Increase or decrease	+4,251,655		+1,940,367		+894,243		+2,224,389		+1,675,282		+1,283,006		+60,488		+407,056	
Percentage	+36.0		+27.4		+47.0		+44.7		+31.8		+33.9		+2.4		+38.1	
August average, 5 years, 1929-33	1,163,480		650,282		207,438		496,166		500,628		331,347		26,607		168,510	
Increase or decrease	+1,907,923		+738,271		+524,055		+1,182,923		+662,000		+466,480		+43,631		+193,484	
Percentage	+164.0		+113.5		+252.6		+238.4		+132.2		+140.8		+164.0		+114.8	
Drive-ins	574,899	513,092							330,162	260,909						
Percent of total receipts	18.7	43.8							28.4	52.6						

¹ Figures for August 1934 include cattle and calves purchased for Federal Surplus Relief Corporation.² Disposition of stock not reported.³ Not included in report prior to January 1934.

NOTE.—This report represents the total livestock movements at the specified stockyards, including through shipments. Direct shipments to packers are included only when such shipments pass through the stockyards.

Receipts and Disposition of Livestock at Public Stockyards for August—Continued

[62 markets]

Market	Hogs							Sheep and lambs							
	Receipts		Local slaughter		Stocker and feeder shipments		Total shipments	Receipts		Local slaughter		Stocker and feeder shipments		Total shipments	
	1934	1933	1934	1933	1934	1933	1934	1933	1934	1933	1934	1933	1934	1933	1934
Atlanta, Ga.	1,565	2,685	259	316			1,293	2,415	5	92	3	76		8	7
Baltimore, Md.	66,874	90,871	57,486	75,340			9,388	15,531	51,119	48,615	12,284	15,470	206	949	38,835
Birmingham, Ala.	277	474	104	416	163	98	163	98	3	19	3	19			33,145
Boston, Mass.	2,824	1,954	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	701	377	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Buffalo, N.Y.	32,253	77,162	12,750	45,619	184	20	18,892	15,460	63,690	57,196	20,244	19,386	73	254	43,718
Chattanooga, Tenn.	2,326	2,699	2,326	2,699					321	437	321	437			
Cheyenne, Wyo.	4,739	14,106					4,739	14,106	2,167	1,960					2,167
Chicago, Ill.	358,537	731,698	318,632	665,556	102	1,382	39,905	66,142	211,066	318,912	193,611	267,405	9,498	19,305	17,485
Cincinnati, Ohio.	76,856	112,265	47,929	85,875			28,927	26,390	57,255	54,604	17,789	15,664	7,597	1,909	39,466
Cleveland, Ohio.	17,492	46,845	15,208	41,521			2,184	5,324	22,212	34,054	15,070	17,437	1,979	639	7,142
Dallas, Tex.	3,635	4,187	3,444	4,202			124		404	613	409	691			
Dayton, Ohio.	2,995	5,539	1,404	3,771			1,591	1,759	804	980	600	980			204
Denver, Colo.	44,574	55,923	31,383	39,645	689	710	14,630	18,318	348,355	285,616	13,434	15,779	34,378	20,663	326,560
Detroit, Mich.	11,485	17,877	9,612	15,678			1,873	2,199	31,273	34,288	17,395	21,566			13,878
East St. Louis, Ill.	170,745	292,906	93,459	132,817	2,848		77,433	100,039	52,276	60,172	39,065	51,540	215		12,722
El Paso, Tex.	2,308	4,714	2,212	2,495		308	96	2,219	1,585	707	1,231			878	323
Evansville, Ind.	14,736	21,576	14,514	21,381	149	180	265	180	5,310	6,510	4,767	6,433	510	75	510
Fort Worth, Tex.	34,929	44,979	33,126	35,386	983	1,006	1,777	1,990	22,533	38,487	11,821	21,540	4,923	10,822	10,992
Indianapolis, Ind.	124,961	185,155	49,191	97,631	841	856	74,325	87,224	36,930	47,781	16,667	26,049	3,497	2,608	20,263
Jacksonville, Fla.	144	501	55	475			98		90	87					21,732
Jersey City, N.J.	15,123	23,588	15,123	23,588					148,643	224,754	148,643	224,754			
Joplin, Mo.	9,908	6,634	2,306	2,296	2,438	1,048	7,602	4,338	2,612	3,461	7	21	192	680	2,605
Kansas City, Mo.	79,638	304,599	54,947	239,966	9,883	2,829	26,381	34,475	90,701	97,806	70,525	69,625	14,769	21,190	18,764
Knoxville, Tenn.	2,389	3,159	2,389	3,159			161		161	714	161	714			26,584
La Fayette, Ind.	5,891	6,538	2,441	3,712	98	61	3,410	2,757	896	1,857	50	13	99	315	863
Lancaster, Pa.	6,347	6,534	92	44			6,255	6,490	4,565	4,745	182	245			1,891
Laredo, Tex.		370		95				275	399	300	399	300			4,383
Los Angeles, Calif.	3,074	1,780	3,018	1,583	70		70		20,439	17,237	21,214	17,288	556	1,189	4,500
Louisville, Ky.	16,375	26,841	11,676	18,892	84	44	4,699	7,949	49,144	44,900	7,226	956	10,605	19,151	41,918
Marion, Ohio.	3,133	4,393	6	124	219		3,057	4,455	929	1,178			343	294	4,944
Memphis, Tenn.	5,324	7,608	4,110	6,892	878	258	949	796	725	300	114	210	117	24	117
Milwaukee, Wis.	28,528	71,597	28,482	67,114	46	15	46	15	10,679	16,129	6,803	6,787	124	158	9,312
Montgomery, Ala.	2,975	225	159	194		13	2,816	13	26	190	13	136	13	4	50
Moultrie, Ga.	786	334	209	309	285	10	737	10							
Nashville, Tenn.	5,375	5,675	2,152	2,890			3,223	2,785	4,081	4,929	2,833	2,252			1,188
Newark, N.J.	26,508	31,084	26,262	30,967					9,536	9,936	9,536	10,037			2,677
New Orleans, La.	638	1,039	798	709	2	181	2	181	39	73	24	46		33	33
New York, N.Y.	43,924	51,564	43,924	51,564					39,949	36,050	39,949	36,050			
North Salt Lake, Utah.	25,586	28,386	2,908	5,301			22,683	23,216	35,510	23,964	1,019	1,696	20,000	12,000	34,491
Ogden, Utah.	19,040	26,895	3,885	4,204	45	27	13,969	22,351	449,041	492,373	1,378	1,398	81,426	442,728	20,372
Oklahoma City, Okla.	32,119	81,496	27,094	66,512	1,967	1,279	5,184	5,408	5,653	7,432	4,608	6,022	779	1,362	493,872
Omaha, Nebr.	172,894	311,185	116,046	249,595	1,800	2,302	57,038	58,920	210,675	206,238	128,058	136,728	76,683	73,896	1,362
Pasco, Wash.	382	1,242					382	1,242	2,628	38					77,775
Peoria, Ill.	65,121	84,549	11,575	15,643	4,566	451	53,917	63,961	15,470	4,845	160	143	7,450	1,181	2,628
Philadelphia, Pa.	32,002	36,471	31,270	36,175			732	296	29,670	29,715	27,087	25,98			4,637
Pittsburgh, Pa.	34,931	58,875	24,863	39,581			10,063	19,294	79,577	107,450	13,839	25,016			3,732
Portland, Oreg.	16,208	14,773	10,802	10,409	1,851	2,020	5,301	4,387	20,361	22,959	10,008	10,590	1,037	1,260	82,434
Pueblo, Colo.	167	18					149		29,598	16,798	17	15	7,117	6,237	12,466
Richmond, Va.	10,479	10,907	10,473	10,852	6	31	6	55	1,368	1,543	1,141	915	137	380	16,165
St. Joseph, Mo.	89,565	183,306	78,240	167,858	3,109	754	12,034	13,303	97,988	118,169	80,780	85,226	11,186	28,868	623
San Antonio, Tex.	2,908	7,281	1,875	6,781	197	225	1,288	500	920	2,035	571	854	105	254	32,288
Seattle, Wash.	7,582	11,326	6,772	9,501	187	1,683	810	1,825	6,098	7,445	6,098				1,181
Sioux City, Iowa.	135,266	282,672	81,212	231,052	7,857	6,187	54,054	51,020	109,536	77,338	56,393	45,743	52,017	30,987	31,595
Sioux Falls, S. Dak.	20,308	32,521	15,589	16,133	173	87	4,798	16,392	23,471	4,012	290				3,956
So. St. Paul, Minn.	87,773	348,349	61,411	289,139	10,198	9,121	26,736	36,232	160,273	160,384	81,639	63,656	25,605	20,494	98,163
So. San Francisco, Calif.	17,928	16,855	16,621	12,646			1,307	4,209	20,962	30,888	13,920	19,794			7,224
Spokane, Wash.	11,075	4,405	1,859	1,679	3,309	1,462	9,204	2,890	8,263	12,795	1,292	2,455	6,207	3,428	11,347
Springfield, Ill.	15,565	23,931	1,057	1,006	182	578	14,435	23,521	503	800	172	413	8	128	10,430
Springfield, Mo.	10,144	18,007	1,837	3,662	1,135	2,384	8,207	14,345	2,487	3,620		28		72	386
Stockton, Calif.	2,953	(2)	(2)	(2)	197	(2)	2,943	(2)	7,333	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	3,592
Toledo, Ohio.	1,348	1,386	702	1,326			659	34	224	340	224	340			(2)
Wichita, Kans.	25,600	70,381	22,754	57,568	2,094	3,398	2,752	4,477	4,826	7,597	4,409	6,979	436	788	783
Discontinued markets.		644		644						305		305			
Total	2,067,135	3,923,512	1,420,146	2,962,014	59,363	41,357	645,646	857,461	2,615,435	2,794,739	1,106,439	1,291,021	389,504	346,988	1,481,831
Increase or decrease	-1,856,377		-1,541,868		+18,006		-211,815		-179,304		-184,582		+42,516		-27,169
Percentage	-47.3		-52.1		+43.5		-24.7		-6.4		-14.3		+12.3		-1.8
Total for 8 months ended with August	22,461,481	24,822,536	15,829,989	18,432,462	330,287	272,303	6,610,180	6,259,128	15,375,448	17,166,540	7,985,876	9,235,435	1,254,314	1,048,496	7,370,285
Increase or decrease	-2,361,055		-2,602,473		+57,931		+351,052		-1,791,092		-1,249,559		+205,818		-529,042
Percentage	-9.5		-14.1		+21.3		+5.6		-10.4		-13.5		+19.6		-6.7
August average, 5-years, 1929-33	2,872,718		1,868,023		37,029		981,403		2,822,383		1,326,412		525,978		1,481,732
Increase or decrease	-805,583		-447,877		+22,334		-335,757		-206,948		-219,973		-136,474		-119
Percentage	-28.0		-24.0		+60.3		-34.2		-7.3		-16.6		-25.9		0.0
Drive-ins	1,237,968	2,144,072							582,183	607,507					
Percent of total receipts.	59.9	54.6							22.3	21.7					

¹ Disposition of stock not reported.² Not included in report prior to January 1934.³ August 1933, includes many pigs and sows received for sale on Government account.

NOTE.—This report represents the total livestock movement at the specified stockyards, including through shipments. Direct shipments to packers are included only when such shipments pass through the stockyards.

Receipts and Disposition of Livestock at Public Stockyards

August 1934, with Comparisons

[Thousands; i.e., 000 omitted]

Class and year	Receipts			Local slaughter			Stocker and feeder			Total shipments		
	August	January to August	Total for year	August	January to August	Total for year	August	January to August	Total for year	August	January to August	Total for year
Cattle only:												
1920.....	1,458	8,712	16,860	701	5,284	8,320	308	2,124	3,981	714	4,841	8,376
1921.....	1,375	8,712	14,310	679	4,745	7,279	341	1,692	3,326	679	3,921	6,997
1922.....	1,608	9,858	17,141	740	5,130	8,247	453	2,196	4,544	852	4,607	8,732
1923.....	1,622	10,058	16,999	760	5,436	8,591	459	2,047	4,304	857	4,468	8,189
1924.....	1,398	9,815	17,173	716	5,438	9,052	293	1,705	3,770	653	4,226	7,896
1925.....	1,632	10,212	17,117	831	5,805	9,303	347	1,746	3,593	703	4,163	7,534
1926.....	1,421	10,015	17,094	792	6,011	9,528	240	1,518	3,456	581	3,852	7,291
1927.....	1,494	9,803	16,258	839	5,770	8,899	252	1,466	3,303	608	3,856	7,108
1928.....	1,307	9,113	15,189	656	5,003	7,925	312	1,694	3,562	631	3,864	7,047
1929.....	1,156	8,499	14,337	626	4,901	7,691	246	1,506	3,250	527	3,466	6,492
1930.....	1,062	8,228	13,798	618	4,780	7,464	130	1,278	2,858	417	3,342	6,176
1931.....	1,302	8,374	13,486	671	4,803	7,241	231	1,174	2,609	583	3,467	6,170
1932.....	1,125	7,424	11,831	598	4,428	6,646	247	999	2,203	506	2,917	5,114
1933.....	1,173	7,478	12,347	739	4,664	7,359	183	1,007	2,124	447	2,741	4,893
1934 ¹	3,071	11,733	1,389	6,605	732	1,902	1,679	4,965				
Calves only:												
1920.....	505	3,605	5,337	334	2,690	3,875	6	77	121	166	913	1,455
1921.....	492	3,514	5,477	317	2,587	3,799	14	53	178	166	894	1,604
1922.....	541	3,774	6,077	365	2,763	4,189	16	107	320	183	1,031	1,933
1923.....	592	4,065	6,212	402	2,996	4,443	21	113	249	200	1,134	1,869
1924.....	536	4,132	6,523	376	3,135	4,798	13	73	208	172	1,048	1,795
1925.....	613	4,570	6,950	450	3,501	5,159	13	110	230	183	1,138	1,904
1926.....	576	4,480	6,837	379	3,230	4,822	12	108	256	195	1,290	2,113
1927.....	571	4,300	6,505	392	3,094	4,560	19	127	306	194	1,267	2,064
1928.....	521	4,160	6,289	351	3,005	4,384	24	160	403	183	1,208	1,964
1929.....	464	3,963	6,103	314	2,837	4,215	20	154	401	159	1,137	1,909
1930.....	543	4,021	6,368	341	2,818	4,241	20	205	568	202	1,206	2,142
1931.....	519	3,989	6,129	336	2,788	4,155	30	166	435	175	1,187	1,956
1932.....	481	3,618	5,501	326	2,532	3,728	33	164	416	150	1,062	1,733
1933.....	496	3,584	5,587	340	2,501	3,817	30	193	423	155	1,069	1,748
1934 ¹	1,163	5,259	798	3,784	70	254	362	1,476				
Hogs:												
1920.....	2,491	28,868	42,121	1,530	18,437	26,761	36	530	728	958	10,371	15,298
1921.....	2,656	27,614	41,101	1,722	18,286	33,525	23	344	499	931	9,467	14,709
1922.....	3,037	27,898	44,068	1,976	18,181	28,737	31	409	593	1,065	9,716	15,332
1923.....	3,714	35,666	55,390	2,283	23,191	36,172	62	501	820	1,448	12,447	19,142
1924.....	3,196	36,760	55,414	2,017	23,237	35,188	25	329	496	1,213	13,451	20,203
1925.....	2,549	29,575	43,923	1,586	18,637	27,665	30	316	532	952	10,709	16,266
1926.....	2,804	26,228	39,772	1,710	16,313	24,580	51	473	917	1,084	9,903	15,173
1927.....	3,041	27,931	41,411	1,846	17,823	26,347	36	560	888	1,192	10,888	15,043
1928.....	2,523	31,412	46,527	1,363	19,640	29,283	43	505	735	1,160	11,752	17,191
1929.....	2,964	29,118	44,097	1,835	18,299	27,920	38	427	623	1,132	10,800	16,154
1930.....	2,617	27,093	40,774	1,487	16,503	24,888	35	362	517	1,133	10,888	15,832
1931.....	2,454	25,384	39,538	1,398	15,631	24,539	49	304	533	1,045	9,735	14,973
1932.....	2,405	23,933	35,028	1,658	16,075	23,695	21	231	321	739	7,836	11,303
1933.....	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	41	272	398	857	6,259	9,860
1934 ¹	(3,924)	24,823	40,377	2,962	18,432	30,472	59	330	646	6,610		
Sheep:												
1920.....	2,606	13,578	23,538	1,098	6,885	10,981	568	2,209	5,180	1,486	6,720	12,563
1921.....	2,500	14,776	24,168	1,335	8,525	12,858	404	1,096	3,095	1,123	6,261	11,333
1922.....	1,951	12,947	22,364	1,021	6,896	10,669	350	1,482	1,677	904	6,015	11,677
1923.....	1,800	12,560	22,025	903	6,783	10,271	341	1,398	4,478	898	5,167	11,730
1924.....	2,005	12,395	22,201	978	6,654	10,399	444	1,384	4,676	1,022	5,147	11,794
1925.....	2,064	12,955	22,100	998	6,840	10,399	421	1,389	4,332	1,037	6,106	11,710
1926.....	2,277	13,877	23,868	1,058	7,374	11,387	567	1,713	4,673	1,176	6,460	12,450
1927.....	2,209	13,998	23,939	1,137	7,364	11,459	389	1,721	4,895	1,054	6,242	12,482
1928.....	2,362	14,611	25,597	1,097	7,704	12,253	564	1,725	5,011	1,250	6,893	13,324
1929.....	2,544	15,506	26,868	1,155	8,262	12,852	639	1,948	5,565	1,392	7,263	13,995
1930.....	2,583	17,530	29,808	1,266	9,787	15,173	465	1,489	4,631	1,317	7,737	14,606
1931.....	3,270	20,174	33,023	1,474	10,384	15,929	718	2,007	5,287	1,734	9,631	16,996
1932.....	2,919	18,941	29,306	1,447	10,405	15,100	460	1,337	3,773	1,457	8,528	14,214
1933.....	2,795	17,167	27,184	1,291	9,235	13,965	347	1,048	3,008	1,509	7,899	13,196
1934 ¹	2,615	15,375	1,106	7,986	390	1,254	1,482	7,370				

¹ Beginning July 1934 includes animals purchased for Federal Surplus Relief Corporation.² Includes many pigs and sows received for sale on Government account.

Average Weight and Cost of Hogs

[Computed on packer and shipper purchases]

Market	August 1934		July 1934		August 1933		Calendar year, 1933	
	Wt.	Cost	Wt.	Cost	Wt.	Cost	Wt.	Cost
	Lb.	Per 100 lb.	Lb.	Per 100 lb.	Lb.	Per 100 lb.	Lb.	Per 100 lb.
Chicago.....	250	\$5.89	248	\$4.49	258	\$3.97	244	\$3.94
Denver.....	226	5.65	221	4.16	239	3.91	227	3.70
East St. Louis.....	211	6.12	212	4.54	221	4.21	215	4.00
Fort Worth.....	205	5.92	216	4.23	(1)	(1)	206	4.14
Kansas City.....	218	5.61	214	4.18	237	3.81	231	3.76
Omaha.....	246	5.17	251	3.94	274	3.42	262	3.52
Sioux City.....	253	5.15	253	3.98	278	3.36	258	3.46
South St. Joseph.....	222	5.27	217	4.17	244	3.77	236	3.72
South St. Paul.....	259	5.23	267	3.91	266	3.47	236	3.52
Wichita.....	221	5.42	216	4.04	(1)	(1)	222	3.52

¹ Not available. Market News Service was temporarily suspended.

Receipts of Horses and Mules at Public Stockyards for August

Market	1934	1933	Market	1934	1933
Atlanta, Ga.....	1,078	756	Ogden, Utah.....	1,646	358
Buffalo, N.Y.....	796	478	Oklahoma City, Okla.....	941	62
Chicago, Ill.....	1,027	517	Omaha, Nebr.....	2,965	2,387
Cincinnati, Ohio.....	253	51	Pittsburgh, Pa.....	1,391	399
Denver, Colo.....	583	889	Portland, Oreg.....	12	28
Detroit, Mich.....	62	44	Pueblo, Colo.....	383	104
East St. Louis, Ill.....	6,281	4,492	St. Joseph, Mo.....	372	702
El Paso, Tex.....	204	171	San Antonio, Tex.....	703	342
Fort Worth, Tex.....	1,935	1,533	Sioux City, Iowa.....	2,529	1,989
Indianapolis, Ind.....	182	61	So. St. Paul, Minn.....	1,299	830
Jacksonville, Fla.....	30	61	Spokane, Wash.....	46	33
Jersey City, N.J.....	66	77	Springfield, Mo.....	197	51
Joplin, Mo.....	138	137	Wichita, Kans.....	303	284
Kansas City, Mo.....	6,213	2,532	All others.....	1,371	353
Louisville, Ky.....	267	143			
Memphis, Tenn.....	3,065	354	Total horses and mules.....	36,922	20,731
Montauke, Wis.....	46	194	Total horses ¹	25,559	13,232
Montgomery, Ala.....	352	185	Total mules ¹	11,363	7,499
New York, N.Y.....	96	110			
North Salt Lake, Utah.....	90	85			
Accumulated receipts, 8 months:			August average, 5 years, 1929-33		
Horses.....	335,298	221,343	Horses and mules.....	15,687	
Mules.....	197,422	122,423	Horses ¹	10,201	
Horses ¹	137,876	98,920	Mules ¹	5,486	

¹ Totals for horses and mules separately are partly estimated as a few stockyard companies do not separate horses and mules on their reports.

Estimated Yield and Production of Animal Byproducts from Slaughter under Federal Inspection

July 1934, with Comparisons

Class	Average weight per animal		Percent of live weight		Production				
	July 1, 1933, to June 30, 1934	July 1934	July 1, 1933, to June 30, 1934	July 1934	July 1, 1933, to June 30, 1934	July 5-year average 1929-33	July 1933	July 1934	Percent July 1934, is of average
	Lb.	Lb.	Pct.	Pct.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	Pct.
Edible beef fat 1-	34.73	29.05	3.68	3.22	329,265	27,263	27,342	23,902	87.67
Edible beef offal.	30.73	31.46	3.25	3.49	291,167	20,742	22,752	25,885	124.80
Cattle hides.....	62.56	58.91	6.62	6.54	597,688	43,144	45,796	48,842	113.21
Edible calf fat 1-	1.44	1.43	0.80	0.76	7,999	467	517	751	160.81
Edible calf offal.	6.22	6.51	3.47	3.45	34,812	2,519	2,560	3,420	135.77
Lard 2	34.08	32.33	14.99	13.90	1,558,187	124,410	148,330	107,101	86.09
Edible hog offal.	6.71	6.73	2.95	2.89	306,309	23,784	26,898	22,295	93.74
Pork trimmings.	14.70	14.64	6.49	6.29	680,421	50,600	62,334	48,498	95.85
Inedible hog grease 2	2.83	2.87	1.24	1.23	129,781	9,807	11,861	9,538	97.26
Sheep edible fat 1	1.67	1.46	2.03	1.90	27,416	2,103	2,152	1,887	89.73
Sheep edible offal	2.00	1.88	2.43	2.45	32,846	2,752	2,753	2,429	88.20

Average Prices of Livestock, August 1934, with Comparisons

Based on Mean of Daily Price Range

[In dollars per 100 pounds]

Classification	Chicago						Kansas City								Omaha								
	Week ended—					Month		Week ended—					Month			Week ended—					Month		
	Aug. 4, 1934	Aug. 11, 1934	Aug. 18, 1934	Aug. 25, 1934	Sept. 1, 1934	July 1934	Aug. 1934	Aug. 4, 1934	Aug. 11, 1934	Aug. 18, 1934	Aug. 25, 1934	Sept. 1, 1934	July 1934	Aug. 1934	Aug. 4, 1934	Aug. 11, 1934	Aug. 18, 1934	Aug. 25, 1934	Sept. 1, 1934	July 1934	Aug. 1934		
Cattle																							
Slaughter cattle, calves, and vealers:																							
Steers:																							
550-900 lb.:																							
Choice	7.38	7.38	7.18	7.62	8.12	7.30	7.54	7.12	6.90	6.80	6.88	7.45	6.97	7.03	7.25	7.05	6.80	7.05	7.56	6.97	7.44		
Good	6.62	6.62	6.42	6.95	7.32	6.56	6.79	6.18	5.94	5.90	6.12	6.72	6.24	6.17	6.50	6.30	6.15	6.42	6.98	6.13	6.47		
Medium	5.00	5.00	4.72	5.20	5.72	5.04	5.13	4.85	4.48	4.50	4.68	5.25	4.82	4.75	5.00	4.80	4.68	4.98	5.50	4.77	4.99		
Common	3.38	3.28	3.12	3.45	4.05	3.56	3.46	3.22	2.88	2.88	2.95	3.42	3.32	3.07	3.38	3.25	3.02	3.30	3.75	3.36	3.34		
900-1,100 lb.:																							
Choice	8.38	8.30	8.20	8.82	9.46	8.35	8.63	7.78	7.58	7.44	7.70	8.38	7.84	7.78	8.38	8.12	7.90	8.05	8.70	8.01	8.23		
Good	7.12	7.08	6.72	7.42	8.20	7.04	7.31	6.78	6.52	6.42	6.70	7.40	6.78	6.76	7.00	6.80	6.68	6.98	7.60	6.77	7.01		
Medium	5.25	5.20	4.85	5.62	6.42	5.41	5.47	4.98	4.60	4.62	4.81	5.45	5.12	4.89	5.32	5.12	4.68	5.02	5.72	5.16	5.17		
Common	3.62	3.62	3.52	3.95	4.55	3.82	3.85	3.22	2.97	2.97	3.00	3.55	3.39	3.14	3.58	3.30	3.28	3.55	4.10	3.71	3.56		
1,100-1,300 lb.:																							
Choice	9.00	8.85	8.58	9.40	10.08	9.14	9.18	8.38	8.15	7.95	8.38	9.00	8.38	8.37	8.92	8.62	8.42	8.70	9.40	8.71	8.81		
Good	7.50	7.42	7.12	7.75	8.65	7.74	7.69	6.95	6.76	6.72	7.08	7.72	7.21	7.05	7.42	7.12	6.80	7.10	7.82	7.34	7.25		
Medium	5.75	5.75	5.60	6.42	7.05	6.08	6.11	5.30	4.86	4.84	5.26	5.94	5.58	5.24	5.75	5.42	5.18	5.52	6.32	5.79	5.64		
1,300-1,500 lb.:																							
Choice	9.38	9.18	8.90	9.70	10.38	9.62	9.51	8.42	8.28	8.12	8.62	9.20	8.61	8.53	9.04	8.75	8.55	8.82	9.52	8.98	8.94		
Good	7.75	7.78	7.48	8.52	9.12	8.14	8.13	7.18	6.91	6.85	7.33	8.06	7.41	7.28	7.68	7.38	7.05	7.35	8.08	7.78	7.51		
Heifers:																							
550-750 lb.:																							
Choice	6.50	6.60	6.38	6.88	7.45	6.48	6.76	6.36	6.15	6.12	6.44	7.00	6.26	6.41	6.12	6.05	6.12	6.30	6.92	6.16	6.30		
Good	5.50	5.50	5.20	5.80	6.45	5.56	5.69	5.44	5.26	5.25	5.50	6.05	5.42	5.50	5.25	5.12	5.12	5.30	5.90	5.21	5.34		
Common and Medium	3.50	3.58	3.45	4.12	4.72	3.71	3.87	3.68	3.44	3.42	3.68	3.85	3.67	3.61	3.45	3.38	3.38	3.68	4.25	3.47	3.63		
750-900 lb.:																							
Good and Choice	6.25	6.25	6.08	6.65	7.20	6.28	6.49	6.02	5.86	5.82	6.00	6.48	5.99	6.04	6.12	6.12	6.12	6.30	6.98	6.03	6.33		
Common and Medium	3.75	3.82	3.70	4.20	4.82	3.86	4.06	3.80	3.62	3.62	3.68	3.85	3.90	3.71	3.82	3.88	3.88	4.05	4.55	3.66	4.04		
Cows:																							
Good	3.88	4.00	3.58	4.28	5.02	4.10	4.15	3.38	3.06	3.12	3.22	3.65	3.35	3.29	3.82	3.50	3.28	3.55	4.00	3.50	3.63		
Common and Medium	2.75	2.82	2.45	3.00	3.52	2.79	2.91	2.50	2.18	2.25	2.38	2.65	2.26	2.39	2.72	2.70	2.34	2.66	3.00	2.42	2.68		
Low Cutter and Cutter	1.62	1.80	1.72	2.12	2.42	1.66	1.94	1.50	1.25	1.38	1.50	1.70	1.28	1.47	1.86	1.88	1.60	1.90	2.12	1.47	1.87		
Bulls (yearlings excluded):																							
Good (beef)	3.50	3.40	3.15	3.32	3.38	3.56	3.35	3.12	2.69	2.68	2.82	3.06	3.10	2.87	3.24	2.95	2.92	3.22	3.25	3.16	3.12		
Cutter, Common and Medium	2.75	2.69	2.56	2.90	3.02	2.87	2.78	2.12	1.78	1.75	2.10	2.34	2.25	2.02	2.36	2.18	2.10	2.41	2.48	2.35	2.31		
Vealers:																							
Good and Choice	5.50	5.85	6.08	6.72	7.12	5.26	6.25	4.75	4.50	4.60	5.00	5.25	4.34	4.82	4.15	4.10	4.00	4.55	4.80	3.91	4.32		
Medium	3.88	4.05	4.32	4.98	5.32	3.93	4.51	3.35	3.50	3.50	3.65	3.75	2.98	3.55	3.10	3.00	3.00	3.60	4.00	2.89	3.34		
Cull and common	2.75	2.75	2.85	3.35	3.85	2.90	3.11	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.40	2.50	1.86	2.33	2.25	2.00	2.00	2.60	3.00	1.89	2.37		
Calves, 250-500 lb.:																							
Good and Choice	5.12	5.20	5.20	5.45	5.75	5.10	5.34	4.42	4.32	4.38	4.42	4.62	4.27	4.43	4.38	4.30	4.15	4.42	4.75	4.56	4.40		
Common and Medium	3.25	3.05	3.00	3.20	3.38	3.25	3.13	2.42	2.20	2.25	2.30	2.38	2.30	2.31	2.45	2.25	2.25	2.55	3.00	2.54	2.50		
Feeder and stocker cattle and calves:																							
Steers:																							
500-800 lb.:																							
Good and Choice	4.75	4.65	4.62	4.72	5.08	4.80	4.76	4.25	4.00	4.25	4.38	4.38	4.32	4.25	4.38	4.38	4.38	4.50	4.75	4.67	4.48		
Common and Medium	3.12	3.25	3.38	3.48	3.82	3.28	3.41	2.88	2.52	2.75	2.88	2.88	2.85	2.78	2.88	2.88	2.88	3.12	3.38	2.96	3.03		
800-1,050 lb.:																							
Good and Choice	4.75	4.78	4.88	4.95	5.25	4.89	4.92	4.75	4.30	4.50	4.62	4.82	4.70	4.60	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.75	4.88	4.79	4.63		
Common and Medium	3.38	3.28	3.25	3.55	3.88	3.44	3.47	3.25	2.78	3.00	3.12	3.12	3.29	3.05	2.88	2.88	2.88	3.12	3.38	3.20	3.03		
Heifers:																							
Good and Choice	3.25	3.25	3.25	3.42	4.02	3.26	3.44	2.75	2.50	2.75	3.08	3.20	2.88	2.86	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.25	3.55	3.48	3.16		
Common and Medium	2.38	2.38	2.38	2.55	3.05	2.40	2.55	2.00	1.75	1.88	2.20	2.32	2.18	2.03	1.98	2.00	2.00	2.25	2.50	2.46	2.15		
Cows:																							
Good	2.75	2.80	2.82	2.82	3.22	2.75	2.88	1.75	1.52	1.62	1.94	2.18	1.95	1.80	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.25	2.38	2.15	2.13		
Common and Medium	2.25	2.38	2.40	2.42	2.75	2.25	2.44	1.38	1.20	1.38	1.60	1.82	1.59	1.48	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.75	2.00	1.62	1.65		
Calves (steers):																							
Good and Choice								4.20	4.00	4.12	4.38	4.62	4.26	4.26	4.25	4.25	4.25	4.50	4.62	4.79	4.37		
Medium								3.12	2.88	3.00	3.25	3.50	3.13	3.15	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.50	3.25	3.15	2.80		
Hogs																							
Light light, 140-160 lb., Good and Choice																							
Choice	4.18	4.47	5.35	6.37	7.08	3.90	5.49	3.88	4.43	5.00	5.90	6.81	3.58	5.20	3.63	3.91	4.61	5.71	6.40	3.38	4.85		
Light weight:																							
160-180 lb., Good and Choice	4.62	4.82	5.71	6.84	7.53	4.34	5.90	4.32	4.84	5.42	6.44	7.20	3.96	5.64	3.99	4.29	5.08	6.22	7.01	3.77	5.32		
180-200 lb., Good and Choice	4.88	5.03	5.93	7.01	7.71	4.58	6.11	4.70	5.11	5.73	6.67	7.36	4.34	5.91	4.38	4.73	5.54	6.65	7.39	4.06	5.74		
Medium weight:																							
200-220 lb., Good and Choice	5.00	5.18	6.09	7.10	7.81	4.73	6.24	4.74	5.16	5.80	6.75	7.46	4.45	5.98	4.58	4.92	5.79	6.85	7.43	4.31	5.91		
220-250 lb., Good and Choice	5.00	5.25	6.15	7.15	7.84	4.81	6.28	4.76	5.18	5.81	6.76	7.46	4.48	5.99	4.69	5.00	5.83	6.85	7.44	4.38	5.95		
Heavy weight:																							
250-290 lb., Good and Choice	5.00	5.25	6.17	7.13	7.80	4.82	6.27	4.76	5.18	5.81	6.72	7.44	4.47	5.98	4.64	4.92	5.81	6.85	7.43	4.34	5.93		
290-350 lb., Good and Choice	4.90	5.17	6.07	7.03	7.73	4.79	6.18	4.67	5.06	5.66	6.63	7.38	4.41	5.88	4.41	4.74	5.61	6.72	7.36	4.16	5.77		
Packing sows:																							
275-350 lb., Good	4.12	4.41	5.26	6.50	7.17	4.20	5.49	3.95	4.22	4.98	6.20	7.00	3.83	5.27	3.96	4.28	5.11	6.21	6.96	3.82	5.30		
350-425 lb., Good	4.00	4.30	5.15	6.36	7.07	4.05	5.38	3.87	4.15	4.88	6.05	6.86	3.73	5.16	3.88	4.20	5.02	6.11	6.88	3.76	5.22		
425-550 lb., Good	3.88	4.18	4.99	6.23	6.95	3.94	5.25	3.74	4.03	4.75	5.83	6.67	3.60	5.00	3.83	4.12	4.90	6.06	6.79	3			

Average Prices of Livestock, August 1934, with Comparisons—Continued

Based on Mean of Daily Price Range

[In dollars per 100 pounds]

Classification	Chicago						Kansas City						Omaha					
	Weed ended—					Month	Week ended—					Month	Week ended—					Month
	Aug. 4, 1934	Aug. 11, 1934	Aug. 18, 1934	Aug. 25, 1934	Sept. 1, 1934	July 1934	Aug. 4, 1934	Aug. 11, 1934	Aug. 18, 1934	Aug. 25, 1934	Sept. 1, 1934	July 1934	Aug. 4, 1934	Aug. 11, 1934	Aug. 18, 1934	Aug. 25, 1934	Sept. 1, 1934	July 1934
Sheep and Lambs—Continued																		
Slaughter sheep and lambs—Con.																		
Ewes:																		
90-120 lb., Good and Choice	2.45	2.64	2.70	2.78	2.58	2.30	2.25	2.38	2.50	2.50	2.50	1.90	2.43	2.49	2.62	2.62	2.74	2.13
120-150 lb., Good and Choice	2.18	2.35	2.42	2.48	2.30	2.06	2.00	2.12	2.25	2.25	2.25	1.65	2.17	2.10	2.25	2.25	2.42	1.75
All weights, Common and Medium	1.75	1.95	2.00	2.00	1.90	1.62	1.38	1.62	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.28	1.65	1.38	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.12
Feeding lambs (range) 50-75 lb., Good and Choice		5.46	5.72	5.75	5.81										5.22	5.67	5.40	5.46

¹ Week of Aug. 4 based on 1-day market for cattle and sheep and on 2-day market for hogs.² Effective July 2, spring lambs classified as lambs.

Average Weekly Wholesale Prices of Western Dressed Fresh Meats and Cured Pork and Pork Products, August 1934

Based on Mean of Daily Price Range

[In dollars per 100 pounds]

Classification	Chicago, week ended—					New York, week ended—					Classification	Chicago, week ended—					New York, week ended—				
	Aug. 4, 1934	Aug. 11, 1934	Aug. 18, 1934	Aug. 25, 1934	Sept. 1, 1934	Aug. 4, 1934	Aug. 11, 1934	Aug. 18, 1934	Aug. 25, 1934	Sept. 1, 1934		Aug. 4, 1934	Aug. 11, 1934	Aug. 18, 1934	Aug. 25, 1934	Sept. 1, 1934	Aug. 4, 1934	Aug. 11, 1934	Aug. 18, 1934	Aug. 25, 1934	Sept. 1, 1934
Beef and Veal																					
Beef:																					
300-500 lb. ¹																					
Choice	11.90	12.00	12.00	12.85	13.85	13.20	13.00	13.25	14.25	15.50											
Good	10.90	11.00	11.00	12.10	13.00	12.20	12.00	12.25	13.25	14.50											
Medium	8.90	8.95	8.75	9.85	10.75	9.55	9.25	9.50	10.40	11.75											
Common	6.70	6.76	6.50	7.55	8.25	7.30	6.75	6.75	7.80	9.00											
500-600 lb.:																					
Choice	11.95	12.00	12.00	13.10	14.20	13.20	13.00	13.50	14.50	15.50											
Good	10.95	11.00	11.00	12.10	13.20	12.20	12.00	12.30	13.35	14.50											
Medium	8.95	8.95	8.75	9.85	10.95	9.55	9.25	9.50	10.50	12.00											
Common	6.75	6.70	6.50	7.55	8.45	7.30	6.75	6.75	7.80	9.00											
600-700 lb.:																					
Choice	12.50	12.50	12.50	13.60	14.70	13.45	13.30	13.80	15.00	16.00											
Good	11.25	11.25	11.25	12.35	13.55	12.20	12.00	12.50	13.55	15.00											
Medium	9.25	9.25	9.25	10.35	11.55	9.55	9.25	9.75	10.80	12.75											
700 lb. up:																					
Choice	13.10	13.00	13.00	14.10	15.20	13.45	13.30	14.00	15.00	16.00											
Good	12.10	12.00	12.00	13.10	14.20	12.20	12.00	12.50	13.55	15.00											
Cow:																					
Good	8.15	8.25	8.25	8.85	9.70	9.50		9.50	10.05	11.00											
Medium	6.55	6.55	6.75	7.60	8.45	8.15	8.00	8.00	8.70	9.50											
Common	5.30	5.30	5.50	6.60	7.30	6.05	5.75	5.75	6.80	8.00											
Veal and calf carcasses, skin on:																					
Veal:																					
Choice	9.40	10.50	10.65	11.50	12.40	10.60	12.30	12.50	12.50	13.50											
Good	8.25	9.50	9.60	10.50	11.40	9.60	11.10	11.50	11.50	12.00											
Medium	6.90	8.30	8.60	9.50	10.40	7.80	9.55	10.00	10.05	10.50											
Common	5.70	6.90	7.10	8.10	9.40	6.00	7.90	8.50	8.60	9.50											
Calf:																					
Good	6.45	7.85	8.25	8.70	10.00	7.40	9.20	10.00	10.00	10.50											
Medium	5.40	6.45	6.75	7.70	9.00	6.35	7.90	8.50	8.50	9.50											
Common	4.60	5.30	5.75	6.70	8.00	5.45	6.90	7.50	7.50	8.50											
Lamb and Mutton																					
Lamb:																					
38 lb. down:																					
Choice	13.75	15.50	15.50	16.50	16.30	14.35	16.65	16.90	16.50	16.60											
Good	12.45	14.50	14.50	15.50	15.30	13.45	16.00	15.95	15.30	15.60											
Medium	10.85	13.00	13.00	13.50	13.40	12.00	14.40	14.55	13.70	14.60											
Common	8.90	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	10.10	12.55	12.70	12.05	13.15											
39-45 lb.:																					
Choice	13.75	15.50	15.50	16.50	16.30	14.25	16.65	16.90	16.50	16.60											
Good	12.45	14.50	14.50	15.50	15.30	13.45	16.00	15.95	15.30	15.60											
Medium	10.85	13.00	13.00	13.50	13.40	12.00	14.40	14.55	13.70	14.60											
46-55 lb.:																					
Choice	12.60	14.50	15.10	15.50	15.40	14.10	16.00	16.05	15.50	15.65											
Good	11.50	13.50	14.10	14.50	14.45	13.25	15.25	15.25	14.50	14.90											
Yearling, 40-55 lb.:																					
Choice							14.38	13.40	12.50												
Good							10.70	13.10	12.40	11.50											
Medium							9.70	12.10	11.40	10.50											
Mutton (ewe), 70 lb. down:																					
Good	6.50	6.50	7.30	7.50	7.50	7.25	7.00	7.20	7.30	7.50											
Medium	5.50	5.50	6.30	6.50	6.50	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.20	6.50											
Common	4.50	4.50	5.30	5.50	5.50	5.10	4.55	4.45	4.55	5.50											
Fresh Pork Cuts																					
Hams, 10-14 lb. average																					
Loins:	15.25	15.35	15.90	17.00	17.60		24.75	24.95	16.50	17.10											
8-10 lb. average																					
10-12 lb. average	14.20	13.50	16.40	20.80	23.75	13.20	14.75	16.95	20.90	24.50											
12-15 lb. average	14.20	13.50	16.40	20.75	23.55	13.15	14.75	16.90	20.90	24.45											
16-22 lb. average	12.05	11.95	14.55	18.50	20.55	12.20	13.55	15.45	19.25	21.10											
Shoulders, New York style, skinned, 8-12 lb. average																					
Butts, Boston style, 4-8 lb. average	10.50	10.40	11.45	13.00	15.00	13.00	14.00	11.60	13.65	16.35											
Spare ribs, half sheet	13.75	13.05	14.45	16.50	18.80	13.50	14.00	14.20	16.20	19.05											
	7.30	6.70	8.10	9.90	12.10	7.70	8.60	8.50	9.50	11.50											

¹ Includes heifers, 450 lb. down, at Chicago.

² No. 2 included.

Ranges.—Range feeds are the poorest on record. Late August rains provided prospects of some relief in Arizona, Oklahoma, and some sections in Kansas, Nebraska, and Texas. Generally these rains came too late to be of much benefit except in the Southwest. High ranges, also ranges in Washington, western Montana, northern Idaho, northern California, and western Oregon are fairly good. There is considerable shortage of stock water. Late fall and winter ranges are generally poor and short of water and will provide little feed for livestock which will move from high ranges in September. Hay and feed crops are generally poor except in some irrigated sections. Prices for hay and feeds have risen to prohibitive levels. The shortage of ranges has necessitated early use of pastures and feeds ordinarily used in the late fall and winter. The total supply of range feed, hay, and feed crops in the Western States is the smallest on record. The condition of ranges is 54 percent of normal, compared with 55 percent last month, 75 percent a year ago, and the 10-year average of 82.2 percent.

Monthly Meat Supplies at Three Eastern Markets

August ¹

	Boston		New York		Philadelphia	
	1934	1933	1934	1933	1934	1933
RECEIPTS						
Western dressed meats:						
Steers.....carcasses	12,449	13,726	48,174	44,937½	10,877	13,046
Cows.....do	8,707	7,856	3,985	3,229½	5,679	4,038
Bulls.....do	117	153	1,478	1,727	2,289	1,370
Veal and calf.....do	3,417	3,838	53,228	47,878	8,249	7,084
Hogs.....do	160	144	10	40		
Lambs.....do	84,964	99,520	158,453	170,814	53,273	63,777
Mutton.....do	2,594	1,790	9,593	8,117	2,522	2,384
Goats.....do	140	115				
Beef cuts.....pounds	32,636	53,389	2,527,124	4,077,034		
Veal and calf.....do			151,227	60,835		
Pork cuts.....do	1,021,622	1,484,639	7,623,231	10,542,016	1,559,707	1,848,385
Lamb cuts.....do			61,966	24,645		
Mutton cuts.....do			477			
LOCAL SLAUGHTER						
Federal and city inspection: ²						
Cattle.....carcasses			46,164	40,122	10,515	8,549
Vealand calf.....do			99,959	70,365	18,519	15,200
Hogs.....do			161,272	178,440	65,572	86,612
Sheeps and lambs.....carcasses			346,452	337,090	36,307	32,203
Goats.....do			175	138		

¹ July 30-Sept. 1, 1934; July 31-Sept. 2, 1933.² Includes city inspection and receipts of country-dressed meats. Boston reports on local slaughter not available for publication.

Weights and Prices of Stocker and Feeder Steers at Chicago, Kansas City, and South St. Paul

August 1934, with Comparisons

Weight range	Number of head			Percent of total by weight ranges			Average weight (pounds)			Average price per 100 pounds		
	Aug. 1934	July 1934	Aug. 1933	Aug. 1934	July 1934	Aug. 1933	Aug. 1934	July 1934	Aug. 1933	Aug. 1934	July 1934	Aug. 1933
Chicago												
1,001 lb. up.....	71	137	292	1.7	2.5	4.2	1,059	1,030	1,095	\$4.76	\$3.46	\$4.05
901-1,000 lb.....	138	561	473	3.3	10.2	6.9	932	946	937	4.28	3.11	3.83
801-900 lb.....	844	918	1,365	20.1	16.6	19.8	856	846	861	3.75	3.41	3.64
701-800 lb.....	881	1,351	1,531	21.0	24.5	22.3	747	743	747	4.03	3.55	3.70
501-700 lb.....	2,237	2,551	3,216	53.9	46.2	46.8	592	596	611	4.14	3.63	3.90
Total.....	4,201	5,518	6,877	100.0	100.0	100.0	697	721	733	4.04	3.49	3.80
Kansas City												
1,001 lb. up.....	2,426	2,433	3,255	5.4	13.9	12.1	1,069	1,081	1,122	4.71	4.85	4.70
901-1,000 lb.....	3,272	1,408	2,383	7.3	8.1	8.8	941	942	933	3.91	4.08	4.31
801-900 lb.....	8,222	1,854	3,707	18.4	10.6	13.7	847	852	848	3.67	3.45	4.03
701-800 lb.....	9,099	3,443	6,166	20.4	19.8	22.9	739	755	750	3.71	3.30	4.10
501-700 lb.....	21,665	8,308	11,457	43.5	47.6	42.5	615	593	602	3.62	3.34	4.02
Total.....	41,684	17,446	26,969	100.0	100.0	100.0	731	749	762	3.76	3.71	4.20
So. St. Paul												
1,001 lb. up.....	263	648	249	3.3	6.6	2.3	1,100	1,051	1,033	3.31	3.53	3.38
901-1,000 lb.....	839	933	1,531	11.2	9.5	14.2	922	946	934	3.35	3.15	3.25
801-900 lb.....	1,157	1,913	2,237	14.6	19.5	20.8	810	851	837	3.71	3.23	3.25
701-800 lb.....	2,053	2,091	2,204	26.0	21.4	20.5	738	750	746	3.88	3.37	3.35
501-700 lb.....	3,551	4,217	4,542	44.9	43.0	42.2	599	597	584	3.61	3.54	3.35
Total.....	7,918	9,802	10,763	100.0	100.0	100.0	723	742	730	3.64	3.39	3.31

Lard: Estimated Production and Consumption from Federally Inspected Slaughter

July 1934, with Comparisons

	July 1934	June 1934	July 1933
Production.....1,000 pounds.....	107,101	124,069	148,330
Storage beginning of month.....do.....	195,135	182,240	186,250
Storage end of month.....do.....	209,497	195,135	219,259
Exports (refined and neutral).....do.....	33,860	41,413	36,628
Apparent consumption.....do.....	58,879	69,761	78,693
Per capita consumption.....pound.....	.47	.55	.63

Dairy and Poultry

Stocks, Imports, and Exports of Evaporated and Condensed Milk ¹

Stocks August 1, with Comparisons; Imports and Exports During July with Comparisons

Stocks	Aug. 1, 1934	July 1, 1934 ¹	Aug. 1, 1933 ¹
	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.
Evaporated (case goods): Total stocks.....	203,885	153,149	131,987
Condensed (case goods): Total stocks.....	17,156	13,912	16,937
Condensed (bulk goods): Total stocks.....	9,233	10,105	11,892
IMPORTS			
	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.
Evaporated milk.....	(?)	48	20
Condensed milk.....		39	0
EXPORTS			
	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.
Evaporated milk.....	3,278	2,562	3,305
Condensed milk.....	1,261	1,276	330

¹ Revised figures include late reports.² Less than 1,000 pounds.

Production of Evaporated and Condensed Milk Reported by Manufacturers, July 1934

Commodity	Comparison of production (pounds) for same firms					
	Previous year			Previous month		
	Firms	July 1934	July 1933	Firms	July 1934	June 1934
Evap. case goods.....	32	176,972,419	167,274,484	35	180,477,337	197,557,018
Cond. case goods.....	7	5,752,397	4,803,220	7	5,752,397	5,933,404
Cond. bulk goods.....	24	8,100,252	7,209,690	29	9,416,109	12,392,847

The current month's figures include reports from evaporated- and condensed-milk firms operating practically all factories manufacturing the classes of milk indicated.

Wholesale Prices of Evaporated and Condensed Milk
July and June 1934

Geographic section	Unsweetened evaporated milk (per case of forty-eight 14½-ounce cans)		Sweetened condensed (per case of forty-eight 14-ounce cans)		Sweetened condensed, unskimmed (hulk per 100 pounds)	
	July	June	July	June	July	June
New England.....	\$2.58	\$2.60	\$4.84	\$4.84	\$7.15	\$7.15
Middle Atlantic.....	2.55	2.57	4.63	4.62	7.64	7.64
South Atlantic.....	2.54	2.56	4.93	4.93	7.15	7.15
East North Central.....	2.49	2.50	5.25	5.25	6.62	6.57
West North Central.....	2.49	2.50			6.86	6.86
South Central.....	2.50	2.51	4.46	4.46	7.10	7.15
Western (north).....	2.52	2.55	4.90	5.00	6.96	6.96
Western (south).....	2.52	2.54	4.90	5.00	6.96	6.96
United States:						
1934.....	2.53	2.54	4.73	4.74	6.99	6.99
1933.....	2.53	2.51	4.94	4.93	7.15	6.78

Wholesale Selling Prices (Case Goods) f.o.b. Distributing Points

July and June 1934

Distributing point	Evaporated milk (per case of forty-eight 14½-ounce cans)		Condensed milk (per case of forty-eight 14-ounce cans)	
	July	June	July	June
Boston.....	\$2.57	\$2.59	\$4.82	\$4.82
New York.....	2.57	2.58	4.61	4.61
Philadelphia.....	2.55	2.57	4.82	4.82
Chicago.....	2.47	2.48	5.25	5.25
Cleveland.....	2.48	2.49		
St. Louis.....	2.48	2.48		
Kansas City.....	2.48	2.48		
Minneapolis-St. Paul.....	2.48	2.48		
Atlanta.....	2.48	2.51		
New Orleans.....	2.49	2.51	4.06	4.06
Denver.....	2.49	2.51		
Seattle.....	2.51	2.54		
San Francisco.....	2.51	2.54	4.90	5.00
Los Angeles.....	2.53	2.53	4.90	5.00

Prices to Producers at Condenseries for 3.5 Percent Milk

August and July 1934

[In dollars per 100 pounds]

Geographic section	By manufacturers of case goods		
	Aug. 1934 ¹	July 1934 ²	Aug. 1933
Middle Atlantic.....	\$1.16	\$1.29	\$1.23
South Atlantic.....		1.02	1.12
East North Central.....	1.20	1.11	1.12
West North Central.....		1.07	1.08
South Central.....		.99	1.03
Western (North).....	1.05	.95	1.05
Western (South).....	.88	1.00	.97
United States.....	1.10	1.09	1.10

¹ These prices do not include those paid by factories which base prices in part on current wholesale butter or butter and cheese quotations or which for other reasons could not report.

² Revised prices paid for July milk include prices published last month and those reported later by other firms.

Retail Prices of Special Milk, Cream, and Buttermilk

September 1934

City	Special milk, per quart	Certified milk, per quart	Light cream (18-25% B.F.), per half pint	Cultured buttermilk, per quart
	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents
Boston.....	12-14½	22	9-10	8
New York.....	16	19	13-14	
Philadelphia.....	14	21	13	11
Pittsburgh.....	13	20	14	
Cleveland.....		18	14	8
Chicago.....	13	16	13	10
Minneapolis.....	11-13	16	13	5-12
St. Louis.....	14	18	13	8-15
Washington.....		20	15	13
Jacksonville.....	15	16	15	9
New Orleans.....	14	20	10	10
Memphis.....		15	13	6
Portland.....	11		10-13	5-10
San Francisco.....		17	15-19	9-10
Average of above cities:				
September 1934.....	13.53	18.31	13.18	9.33
September 1933.....	14.04	20.00	14.13	10.73

Dealers' Prices for Standard Grade Milk Testing 3.5 Percent Butterfat

Used for City Distribution as Milk and Cream

[Delivered f.o.b. local shipping point or at country plant ¹]

Section	Number of local markets	Range of prices per 100 pounds	Average price	Comparison of prices for same markets			
				Number of local markets	Average for—		
					Sep-tember 1934	Aug-ust 1934	Sep-tember 1933
New England.....	11	\$2.05-\$3.22	\$2.57	11	\$2.57	\$2.54	\$2.54
Middle Atlantic.....	15	1.96-2.45	2.30	15	2.30	2.28	2.00
East North Central.....	27	1.33-2.27	1.75	27	1.75	1.72	1.49
West North Central.....	22	1.08-2.32	1.73	21	1.73	1.70	1.33
South Atlantic.....	16	1.51-2.90	2.37	16	2.37	2.34	2.15
East South Central.....	6	1.65-2.10	1.89	6	1.89	1.81	1.58
West South Central.....	7	1.35-2.30	1.81	7	1.81	1.64	1.37
Mountain.....	6	1.23-1.78	1.59	5	1.59	1.60	1.48
Pacific.....	10	1.38-2.00	1.72	10	1.72	1.63	1.61
United States.....	120	1.08-3.22	1.97	118	1.97	1.91	1.72

¹ The prices at country points apply to milk delivered direct by farmers in their own cans to local milk shipping stations and nearby city milk plants. "Basic" prices are used for cities where a surplus plan or pooling plan is in effect, and where net prices are not yet determined. The price per 100 pounds may be reduced to cents per quart by dividing by 46.53.

Stocks of evaporated milk in the hands of manufacturers on August 1, as reported to the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, were considerably below average, but there was an increase in stocks over those of July 1 of 50,000,000 pounds, compared with an average increase of but 26,000,000 pounds. August 1 stocks, totaling 203,885,000 pounds, were 31,000,000 pounds less than the August 1 5-year average.

Report of Fluid Milk Market for September 1934

Wholesale and Retail Milk Prices at Cities

State	City	Dealers' buying price at city for 3.5 per cent B.F.	Selling price ¹					Pre-vailing B.F. test of milk sold by dealers
			On routes			At retail stores		
			Wholesale trade		Family trade			
			Bulk	Bulk	Bottles	Bottles	Bottles	
		Cents per qt.	Cents per qt.	Cents per qt.	Cents per qt.	Cents per qt.	Percent	
Ala.....	Birmingham.....	2 5.59		11	14	13	4.5	
	Mobile.....		5		13	12	4.0	
Ariz.....	Pbocnix.....	2 2.64-2.84	6.25-7.5	7	10	9	4.1	
Ark.....	Little Rock.....	2 3.76	7	10	12	12		
Calif.....	Los Angeles.....	2 4.60		8	11	9-10		
	San Diego.....	2 4.51	7.5	8.5	11	10	4.0-4.1	
	San Francisco.....	2 3.76-4.15	7.5	8	12	10		
Colo.....	Colo. Springs.....	2 4.15	7.5	9	10	9-10		
	Denver.....	2 3.76		7	10	8		
	Pueblo.....	2 3.37	7.5	7.5	10	9-10	3.8	
Conn.....	Hartford.....	2 7.31	10.5-11	11-11.5	14	13	3.8-4.0	
	New Haven.....	2 7.31	10.5-11	11.5	14	13		
Del.....	Wilmington.....	2 5.16	9	10	11	11	4.0-4.2	
D.C.....	Washington.....	2 5.74-6.49	7.5-10	10-11	13	12-13	4.2	
Fla.....	Jacksonville.....	2 5.87	10	12	14	14	4.0-5.0	
	Miami.....	2 6.53	12	13	15	15	4.2-4.5	
	Tampa.....		11.25	13	15	15	3.5-4.4	
Ill.....	Chicago.....	2 5.59	7.5-8	8.5	10	10		
	Peoria.....	2 3.55	6.25	8	9-10	10	3.7	
	Rockford.....	2 3.98	8	8	10	10	3.7-3.8	
Ind.....	Evansville.....	2 3.61		7-7.5	9	8-9	3.96	
	Fort Wayne.....	2 3.65	6.25	8	10	9-10	3.8-4.0	
	Indianapolis.....	2 3.65	6.5		9	7-8	3.7-3.9	
Iowa.....	Cedar Rapids.....	2 2.64		7	9		3.8-4.0	
	Davenport.....	2 3.98	6.5	7	9	9	3.8	
	Des Moines.....	2 4.30	8	8	10	8	3.9	
Kans.....	Kansas City.....	2 5.01	8	8-10	10-12	10-12	3.7-4.4	
	Topeka.....	2 3.76	6.25	8	10	9-10	3.8	
	Wichita.....	2 4.73	8	9	11	10-11	3-8	
Ky.....	Louisville.....	2 4.36	6.75		11	10-11	4.0	
La.....	Alexandria.....	2 4.94	10	10	12	12		
	New Orleans.....	2 4.15	7	8	11	10	4.0	
Md.....	Baltimore.....	2 5.95	8	10	11	11		
	Cumberland.....	2 6.23	8.75	10	12	12	4.3-4.5	
Mass.....	Boston.....	2 6.21		8.75	11	10	4.0	
	Lawrence.....	2 6.13			12	10		
Mich.....	Detroit.....	2 4.84			11	11		
	Grand Rapids.....	2 3.98	7	7.5	9	9	3.5-4.0	
	Kalamazoo.....	2 3.98	7.5	8	10	10	4.0	
	Lansing.....	2 3.76	6.5	7	9	9	3.7	
Minn.....	Duluth.....	2 3.57	7	8	10	9-10	3.8	
	Minneapolis.....	2 4.30	7	8.25	10	10	3.5-3.6	
	St. Paul.....	2 4.30	7	8.25	10	10	3.7	
	Winona.....	2 4.99	7.5	8	9	9	3.7	
Mo.....	Kansas City.....	2 5.01	6.25-8	9-10	12	11-12	3.8-4.0	
	St. Louis.....	2 5.05	6.5-8	8-9	11	10-11	3.7-4.0	
Mont.....	Butte.....	2 4.13	6.25	8	10	9-10		
Nebr.....	Lincoln.....	2 4.06	7	8	10	10	3.8	
	Omaha.....	2 4.30	7	8	10	10	3.8	
N.H.....	Portsmouth.....	2 4.41	8.5	8.5	11	10-11	3.8	
N.J.....	Trenton.....	2 3 5.27	9-9.5	11	12	11-13	3.8-4.0	
N.Y.....	Albany.....	2 5.27	9	10-11	12	12	3.95	
	Buffalo.....	2 5.27	7-9	10	12	12	3.65-3.7	
	New York.....	2 6.78-7.10	9	10.75	13	12	3.6	
	Rochester.....	2 5.27	8-9	10	12	11-12	3.5	
N.C.....	Greensboro.....	2 4.73	10	11.5	14	14	4.1	
	Raleigh.....	2 5.05		12	14	14	4.2	
	Winston Salem.....	2 6.02	11.25	12	14	10-14	4.3	
N.Dak.....	Grand Forks.....	2 2.79	5	6	8			
Ohio.....	Akron.....	2 5.27	9.5	9.5	11	11	3.5	
	Cincinnati.....	2 4.92	7.5	10	12	11	3.7	
	Cleveland.....	2 5.01	8.5	9	11	10	3.5	
	Dayton.....	2 4.19	7.5	8	10	9-10		
Okla.....	Oklahoma City.....	2 3.98-4.73	8.75		11	10	4.0	
	Tulsa.....	2 4.73		8	10	9-10	3.5	
Oreg.....	Portland.....	2 3.68	7.5	8	10	9	4.0	
Pa.....	Philadelphia.....	2 5.59			11	11		
	Pittsburgh.....	2 5.33			11			
	Reading.....	2 4.81	8.5-9	9	11	11	3.5-3.7	
R.I.....	Newport.....	2 7.18		11	13	13		
S.Dak.....	Sioux Falls.....	2 3.76	7.5	8	10	10	4.0	
Tenn.....	Knoxville.....	2 4.79	8.75	10.5	12	12	4.0	
	Memphis.....	2 4.41	6.25	8	10	10	4.2	
Tex.....	Dallas.....	2 4.08	8	8	10	9	4.2	
	El Paso.....	2 4.41	9	9	11	11	3.8	
Utah.....	Salt Lake City.....	2 3.85	7.5	8.25	10	10	3.8-4.0	
Va.....	Richmond.....	2 6.38-6.81	9.75	12	12-13		4.0	
	Roanoke.....	2 5.37	8.75	10	12	12	3.8-3.95	
Wasb.....	Bremerton.....	2 3.91	7.5	8.5	10	10	3.6-4.0	
	Seattle.....	2 4.15	7	7.5	10	9	4.0	
W.Va.....	Clarksburg.....	2 5.16	8.75	10	12	12	3.8-4.0	
	Huntington.....	2 5.14		7-10	12	9-12	3.8-4.2	
	Wheeling.....	2 4.51	9	9	11	11	3.5-4.0	
Wis.....	Kenosba.....	2 4.30	8	8	10	10	3.5	
	Milwaukee.....	2 4.94	8	8.5	10	10	3.55-3.65	
	Racine.....	2 4.41	8	8.5	10	10	3.5	

¹ These prices represent grade B milk or the grade which is most commonly sold, the butterfat content varying from 3.5 to 5 percent in different cities.

² Price for basis milk, i.e., price paid for milk used in fluid form for city distribution.

³ Price at country plants, F.o.b. city price not available.

⁴ Effective Aug. 16.

Stocks, Imports, and Exports of Dry Milk

Stocks on Aug. 1, 1934, with Comparisons; Imports and Exports During July, with Comparisons

Stocks ¹	Aug. 1, 1934	July 1, 1934 ²	Aug. 1, 1933 ²
	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds
Whole milk.....	3,031,305	2,720,464	2,712,437
Skim milk.....	29,510,054	37,819,502	9,893,033
Buttermilk.....	7,278,011	6,299,576	2,725,133
Dry milk	July 1934	June 1934	July 1933
	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds
Imports.....	477	175	25,974
Exports.....	208,780	309,321	204,577

¹ Total stocks include all stocks held by manufacturers reporting.² Revised figures include late reports.

Production of Dry Milk Reported by Manufacturers, July 1934

[Includes reports from principal firms operating dry-milk factories in the United States]

Classes of dry milk	Comparison of production (pounds) for same firms					
	Previous year			Previous month		
	Firms ¹	July 1934	July 1933	Firms ¹	July 1934	June 1934
Whole milk.....	14	1,047,087	980,060	17	1,186,942	1,779,033
Skim milk.....	105	23,619,370	21,864,805	128	25,468,170	31,524,491
Part skim.....	3	119,220	13,370	3	119,220	53,407
Cream powder.....	2	16,260	12,092	3	17,055	1,728
Buttermilk.....	64	3,770,347	3,709,336	73	3,929,710	4,877,343

¹ Figures showing number of firms do not represent number of factories since some firms operate more than one factory.

Wholesale Selling Prices of Dry Milk During July 1934

[Cents per pound]

Dry skim milk (bulk goods)—reported sales		Dry whole milk (bulk goods)—reported sales		Dry buttermilk (bulk goods)—reported sales	
Price	Pounds	Price	Pounds	Price	Pounds
2 -2½	14,200	12 -12½	4,956	3 -3½	814,320
2½ -3	50,000	12½ -13½	104,800	3½ -4½	902,752
3 -3½	864,299	13½ -14½	31,400	4½ -5½	731,197
3½ -4	1,081,794	14½ -15½	185,452	5½ -6½	14,900
4 -4½	1,911,353	15½ -16½	89,485	6½ -7½	116,290
4½ -5	3,621,109	16½ -17½	20,397	7½ -8	10,480
5 -5½	1,705,810				
5½ -6	4,391,589				
6 -6½	3,664,134				
6½ -7	5,200,916				
7 -7½	1,137,372				
7½ -8	120,700				
8 -8½					
8½ -9					
9	1,600				

Month	Average price	Total pounds	Average price	Total pounds	Average price	Total pounds
July 1934	5.54	23,764,876	14.49	436,490	4.17	2,589,939
June 1934	5.46	27,740,202	14.32	589,869	4.60	3,722,387
July 1933	5.40	22,493,950	15.53	413,292	4.93	3,026,647

Wholesale prices reported on case goods were as follows: Dry whole milk (1-pound cans) 35.89 cents per pound.

Wholesale Selling Prices f.o.b. Distributing Points, July 1934

Dry Skim Milk

Cents per lb.		Cents per lb.	
Boston.....	4.25-8	Kansas City.....	7 -7.5
New York.....	3.8-8	Seattle.....	4.5-7
Philadelphia.....	5.89-8	Portland.....	4.5-7
Chicago.....	4.25-8	Los Angeles.....	4 -7.75
Cleveland.....	6 -8	San Francisco.....	6.75-7.35
St. Louis.....	4 -8		

Creamery Butter Production, July 1934

State	Estimated production, July 1934	Estimated production, June 1934	Estimated production, July 1933	July 1934 estimate compared with—	
	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	June 1934	July 1933
Minnesota.....	28,951,800	28,997,100	28,072,000	Percent	Percent
Iowa.....	21,539,200	24,639,100	23,127,000	-0.16	+3.13
Wisconsin.....	16,514,000	16,967,900	15,819,000	-2.41	+6.10
Nebraska.....	9,360,300	9,845,400	9,974,000	-4.98	+4.39
Kansas.....	7,277,300	8,804,600	7,579,000	-2.63	-6.16
Missouri.....	7,537,300	8,706,500	8,797,000	-17.35	-3.99
North Dakota.....	6,974,600	6,237,400	7,284,000	-13.43	-14.37
South Dakota.....	3,826,500	4,147,200	4,901,000	+11.81	-4.25
Montana.....	1,562,200	1,664,000	1,851,000	-7.74	-21.93
Michigan.....	7,447,200	8,979,200	7,915,000	-6.12	-15.61
Illinois.....	6,463,300	6,705,800	6,553,000	-17.07	-5.92
Indiana.....	7,147,900	7,853,100	7,196,000	-3.62	-1.37
Ohio.....	8,817,800	9,017,000	8,725,000	-8.97	-0.67
Kentucky.....	2,548,100	2,304,300	2,316,000	-2.21	+1.06
Virginia.....	593,800	620,600	678,000	+10.58	+10.02
Tennessee.....	1,614,400	1,980,560	1,821,000	-4.32	-12.42
Mississippi.....	800,600	718,600	767,000	-18.49	-11.35
Texas.....	2,645,400	2,686,300	3,641,000	+11.39	+4.36
Oklahoma.....	3,507,800	4,068,100	3,804,000	-1.53	-27.35
New York.....	1,438,600	1,966,500	1,179,000	-13.57	-7.79
Vermont.....	194,600	324,100	198,000	-26.85	+22.01
Pennsylvania.....	1,340,000	1,478,400	1,299,000	-39.06	-1.72
Colorado.....	2,234,900	2,581,300	2,625,000	-9.37	+3.15
Utah.....	883,300	957,600	1,211,000	-13.42	-14.87
California.....	6,329,000	6,879,400	6,829,000	-7.76	-27.07
Washington.....	3,791,600	4,354,400	3,666,000	-8.01	-7.33
Oregon.....	2,635,500	3,069,100	2,832,000	-12.93	+3.42
Idaho.....	2,409,700	2,666,600	2,966,000	-14.13	-6.94
Other States.....	2,299,100	2,548,900	2,597,000	-9.64	-18.76
Total.....	171,681,700	181,759,000	176,222,000	-9.81	-11.48

Wholesale Prices of Fresh Creamery Butter (92 Score), August 1934

[Cents per pound]

Day	New York	Chicago	Boston	Philadelphia	San Francisco
1.....	25½	25	26½	26½	23
2.....	25½	25½	27	27	23
3.....	26½	25½	27½	27½	24
4.....	26½	25½	27½	27½	24
5.....	26½	25½	27½	27½	25
6.....	26½	25½	27½	27½	25
7.....	27	26	28	28	25
8.....	27	26	28	28	25
9.....	27	26½	28	28	26
10.....	27½	26½	28½	28½	26
11.....	27½	26½	28½	28½	26
12.....	27½	26	28	28½	26
13.....	27½	26	28	28½	26
14.....	28	26½	28½	29	26
15.....	28	26½	28½	29	27
16.....	28½	26½	29	29½	27
17.....	28½	26½	29	29½	27
18.....	28½	26½	29	29½	27
19.....	28½	26½	29	29½	28
20.....	28½	26½	29	29½	28
21.....	28½	27½	29	29½	28
22.....	28½	27	29	29	28
23.....	28	27	29	29	28
24.....	27½	26½-27	28½	28½	28
25.....	27½	26½-27	28½	28½	28
26.....	27	26½-27	28	28	28
27.....	27½	26½-27	28	28	28
28.....	27½	26½-27	28	28½	28
29.....	27½	26½	28	28½	28
30.....	27½	26½	28½	28½	28
31.....	27½	26½	28	28½	28½
Average:					
August 1934.....	27.38	26.34	28.20	28.38	26.50
July 1934.....	24.49	23.63	25.45	25.49	23.12
August 1933.....	21.31	20.58	22.27	22.29	21.35

Cold-Storage Holdings of Dairy and Poultry Products at 26 Markets,¹ August 1934

Date	Butter	American cheese	Eggs	Dressed poultry
	Pounds	Pounds	Cases	Pounds
Aug. 4.....	72,678,085	68,150,074	6,036,464	33,344,063
Aug. 11.....	75,348,087	68,313,446	5,904,139	32,951,359
Aug. 18.....	76,490,861	69,707,213	5,746,761	33,134,964
Aug. 25.....	77,101,433	70,706,059	5,571,085	33,275,150

¹ New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Boston, Providence, Buffalo, Syracuse, Cuba, N.Y., Lowell, N.Y., Pittsburgh, Cleveland, Detroit, Minneapolis, St. Paul, Milwaukee, Plymouth, Marshfield, Green Bay, Wis., Denver, Kansas City, St. Louis, Omaha, Portland, Seattle, San Francisco, and Los Angeles.

Receipts and Storage Holdings of Butter at 5 Markets

[In thousand pounds; i. e., 000 omitted]

Receipts

Period and market	New York	Chicago	Boston	Philadelphia	San Francisco	Total
Week ended August 4.....	5,763	5,550	1,936	1,704	568	15,521
Week ended August 11.....	5,442	5,220	1,995	1,825	501	14,983
Week ended August 18.....	5,259	5,185	1,950	1,829	389	14,612
Week ended August 25.....	5,619	5,136	2,122	1,705	461	15,043
August 1934.....	24,058	23,695	8,799	7,792	2,060	66,404
August 1933.....	27,328	26,967	8,611	7,773	2,628	73,307
August 5-year average (1929-33).....	22,756	21,211	7,449	6,901	2,245	60,562
January-August, inclusive, 1934.....	184,389	161,362	63,857	63,463	18,958	492,029
January-August, inclusive, 1933.....	202,026	175,521	63,739	66,932	20,031	528,249

Storage Holdings

Period and market	New York	Chicago	Boston	Philadelphia	San Francisco	Total
Week ended August 4.....	8,552	27,786	4,906	3,642	3,746	48,632
Week ended August 11.....	8,640	29,103	5,120	3,580	3,727	50,170
Week ended August 18.....	8,962	30,045	5,283	3,566	3,599	51,455
Week ended August 25.....	9,431	30,560	5,129	3,768	3,592	52,380
August 1, 1934.....	8,068	26,533	4,740	3,642	3,615	46,598
August 1, 1933.....	15,761	36,974	6,882	5,274	3,426	68,317
5-year average, August 1.....	17,020	28,431	8,112	5,247	2,849	61,659

Receipts of Butter at 4 Markets by State of Origin, August 1934

State of origin	New York	Chicago	Philadelphia	Boston	Total, 4 markets
Arkansas.....		148,024			148,024
California.....	37,825				37,825
Colorado.....	102,142	20,363			122,505
Illinois.....	1,491,861	2,016,127	217,632		4,925,672
Indiana.....	454,914	423,672	305,203		1,433,344
Iowa.....	8,235,672	3,932,484	1,027,912	1,140,488	14,232,556
Kansas.....	656,754	1,394,629		155,373	2,206,756
Kentucky.....	87,841	13,138	124,160	23,085	248,224
Maine.....	13				13
Maryland.....	21,070		52,745		73,815
Massachusetts.....				64	64
Michigan.....	416,724	364,741	42,641	20,271	844,377
Minnesota.....	6,287,054	2,862,848	4,279,753	2,839,137	16,268,792
Missouri.....	252,648	876,657	148,795	308,437	1,586,537
Montana.....		238			238
Nebraska.....	3,326,681	1,286,750	617,427	248,176	5,478,434
New Hampshire.....				113	113
New Jersey.....			365		365
New York.....	396,159		76,086	11,494	483,739
North Carolina.....			8,845		8,845
North Dakota.....	342,228	694,795	35,151	1,055,389	2,127,563
Ohio.....	629,554		74,454	404,707	1,108,715
Oklahoma.....	63,392	221,576	16,463	225,820	527,251
Pennsylvania.....	136,253	30	12,921		149,204
South Carolina.....			450		450
South Dakota.....	115,658	1,526,197		342,436	1,984,291
Tennessee.....	98,573		32,245		130,818
Texas.....	60,438		20,400		80,838
Vermont.....				1,484	1,484
Virginia.....	198,663		152,306		350,969
West Virginia.....	5,505		49,670		55,175
Wisconsin.....	640,338	7,913,184	486,539	642,663	9,682,724
Canada.....				24,000	24,000
Total:					
August 1934.....	24,057,660	23,695,453	7,792,163	8,798,744	64,344,020
August 1933.....	27,328,129	26,966,568	7,772,783	8,611,183	70,678,663

American Cheese Production, July 1934

Geographic section	Estimated production, July 1934	Estimated production, June 1934	Estimated production, July 1933	July 1934 estimate compared with—	
				June 1934	July 1933
	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Percent	Percent
New York State.....	4,365,000	5,465,800	3,492,000	-20.14	+25.00
New England, including Pennsylvania and New Jersey.....	141,400	232,500	277,000	-39.19	-48.96
South Atlantic.....	95,400	85,400	51,000	+11.70	+87.05
South Central.....	3,487,500	3,462,500	3,143,000	+0.72	+10.96
Wisconsin.....	28,646,000	30,613,100	29,454,000	-6.43	-2.75
East North Central, not including Wisconsin.....	4,480,600	4,515,300	3,837,000	-0.77	+16.77
West North Central.....	2,606,700	2,876,200	2,489,000	-9.38	+4.72
Mountain.....	1,360,300	1,526,800	1,543,000	-10.91	-11.85
Pacific.....	3,923,300	4,444,100	3,871,000	-11.72	+1.35
U.S. total.....	49,106,200	53,221,700	48,157,000	-7.74	+1.97

* Estimate based on receipts of American cheese at Wisconsin warehouses.

Receipts and Storage Holdings of Cheese at 5 Markets

[In thousand pounds; i. e., 000 omitted]

Receipts

Period and market	New York	Chicago	Boston	Philadelphia	San Francisco	Total
Week ended August 4.....	1,657	790	440	624	144	3,655
Week ended August 11.....	1,328	1,071	569	680	806	4,454
Week ended August 18.....	1,783	966	452	479	484	4,164
Week ended August 25.....	2,058	731	444	689	305	4,227
August 1934.....	7,080	3,593	2,019	2,708	1,858	17,258
August 1933.....	4,728	2,985	1,392	1,909	1,042	12,656
August 5-year average (1929-33).....	5,060	5,065	1,575	1,945	1,422	15,067
January-August, inclusive, 1934.....	46,424	23,521	13,185	17,352	9,327	109,809
January-August, inclusive, 1933.....	41,424	25,969	11,295	16,567	10,554	105,809

Storage Holdings

Period and market	New York	Chicago	Boston	Philadelphia	San Francisco	Total
Week ended August 4.....	7,322	5,312	1,991	953	865	16,443
Week ended August 11.....	7,239	5,587	2,174	1,014	661	16,675
Week ended August 18.....	7,341	5,894	2,234	1,016	711	17,196
Week ended August 25.....	7,693	6,112	2,267	1,107	805	17,984
August 1, 1934.....	7,390	5,264	2,020	924	882	16,480
August 1, 1933.....	8,376	4,648	2,025	1,024	1,110	17,183
5-year average August 1.....	6,862	4,620	1,812	1,066	826	15,126

Receipts of Cheese at 4 Markets by State of Origin, August 1934

State of origin	New York	Chicago	Philadelphia	Boston	Total 4 markets
	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds
California.....	5,657				5,657
Colorado.....		2,109			2,109
Connecticut.....		10			10
District of Columbia.....	22				22
Georgia.....		350			350
Illinois.....	780,071	734,272	296,767	51,315	1,862,425
Indiana.....	163,075				163,075
Iowa.....		1,255			1,255
Kentucky.....	26,344				26,344
Maryland.....	30,993				30,993
Massachusetts.....	589	395			984
Michigan.....	153,210	2,876		24,250	180,336
Minnesota.....	45,092	162,144	12,028	6,325	225,589
Missouri.....	25,362	20		767	26,149
New Jersey.....		26,800			26,800
New York.....	380,805	248,663	22,704	429,567	1,081,739
North Carolina.....	9				9
North Dakota.....		225			225
Ohio.....	20,571	27,721	1,200	360	49,852
Pennsylvania.....	1,785	3,689		257	5,731
Utah.....	11				11
Wisconsin.....	5,188,358	2,382,007	2,375,000	1,505,708	11,451,142
Canada.....	258,395				258,395
Total:					
August 1934.....	7,060,349	3,592,536	2,707,708	2,018,609	15,399,202
August 1933.....	4,728,427	2,985,179	1,909,222	1,391,741	11,014,569

Wholesale Prices of No. 1 Fresh American Cheese (Single Daisies), August 1934

[Cents per pound]

Day	New York	Chicago	Boston	Philadelphia	San Francisco
1.....	13½	12¼-12½	14 -14½	13½	11½
2.....	13½	12¼-12½	14 -14½	13½	11½
3.....	13½	12¼-12½	14 -14½	13½	12
4.....	14½-14¾	13½-13¾	15 -15½	14½-15	12
5.....	14½-14¾	13½-13¾	15 -15½	14½-15	12
6.....	14½-14¾	13½-13¾	15 -15½	14½-15	12
7.....	14½-14¾	13½-13¾	15 -15½	14½-15	12
8.....	14½-14¾	13½-13¾	15 -15½	14½-15	12
9.....	14½-14¾	13½-13¾	15 -15½	14½-15	12
10.....	14½-14¾	13½-13¾	15 -15½	14½-15	12
11.....	14½-15	14 -14½	15½-16	14½-15½	13
12.....	15	14 -14½	15½-16	15½-16½	13
13.....	15	14 -14½	15½-16	15½-16½	13
14.....	15	14 -14½	15½-16	15½-16½	13
15.....	15	14 -14½	15½-16	15 -15½	13
16.....	15	14 -14½	15½-16	15 -15½	13
17.....	15	14 -14½	15½-16	15 -15½	13
18.....	15	14 -14½	15½-16	15 -15½	13
19.....	15	13½-14	15½-16	15 -15½	13½
20.....	14½-15	13½-14	15 -16	15 -15½	13½
21.....	14½-15	13½-14	15 -16	15 -15½	13½
22.....	14½-14¾	13½-14	15 -16	15 -15½	13½
23.....	14½-14¾	13½-14	15 -16	15 -15½	14
24.....	14½-14¾	13½-14	15 -16	15 -15½	14
25.....	14½-14¾	13½-14	15 -16	15 -15½	14
26.....	14½-14¾	13½-14	15 -16	15 -15½	14
27.....	14½-14¾	13½-14	15 -16	15 -15½	14
28.....	14½-14¾	13½-14	15 -16	14½-15½	14
29.....	14½-14¾	13½-14	15 -16	14½-15½	14
30.....	14½-14¾	13½-14	15 -16	14½-15½	14
31.....	14½-14¾	13½-14	15 -16	14½-15½	14
Average:					
August 1934.....	14.57	13.63	15.37	14.89	13.04
July 1934.....	13.42	12.24	14.07	13.42	11.52
August 1933.....	14.04	12.91	14.90	14.08	11.93

Flats.

Receipts of American Cheese at Wisconsin Warehouses

	1934	Corresponding week in 1933	Corresponding 5-year average weekly receipts ¹
	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>
Week ended Aug. 4.....	5,205,206	5,899,261	5,389,545
Week ended Aug. 11.....	5,674,194	5,882,149	5,211,018
Week ended Aug. 18.....	5,586,713	4,917,871	4,910,274
Week ended Aug. 25.....	5,327,487	4,694,623	4,856,373
Total since Jan. 1.....	157,563,018	162,062,630	163,333,402

¹ 1929-33 inclusive.

Receipts and Storage Holdings of Eggs at 5 Markets

[In thousand cases; i.e., 000 omitted]

Receipts						
Period and market	New York	Chicago	Boston	Philadelphia	San Francisco	Total
Week ended August 4.....	105	33	20	24	12	194
Week ended August 11.....	97	34	22	22	13	188
Week ended August 18.....	89	30	22	25	11	177
Week ended August 25.....	101	33	25	24	14	197
August 1934.....	420	146	101	104	57	828
August 1933.....	493	206	91	105	57	952
August 5-year average (1929-33).....	504	239	107	117	60	1,027
January-August, inclusive, 1934.....	4,970	3,471	1,037	1,060	527	11,065
January-August, inclusive, 1933.....	5,599	3,829	1,080	1,119	513	12,140
Storage Holdings						
Week ended August 4.....	1,072	1,996	203	190	37	3,493
Week ended August 11.....	1,040	1,966	201	184	36	3,427
Week ended August 18.....	994	1,946	195	181	33	3,349
Week ended August 25.....	958	1,908	190	179	31	3,266
August 1, 1934.....	1,081	2,017	208	189	38	3,533
August 1, 1933.....	1,571	2,045	219	226	41	4,102
5-year average August 1.....	1,514	1,631	246	255	54	3,700

Receipts of Eggs at 4 Markets by State of Origin, August 1934

State of origin	New York	Chicago	Philadelphia	Boston	Total 4 markets
	<i>Cases</i>	<i>Cases</i>	<i>Cases</i>	<i>Cases</i>	<i>Cases</i>
California.....	20,219	1,200	5,400	4,800	31,619
Connecticut.....	490			27	517
Delaware.....	3,096		473		3,569
District of Columbia.....	8				8
Georgia.....	2				2
Idaho.....	6,954				6,954
Illinois.....	23,249	7,410	8,584	6,354	45,597
Indiana.....	13,809	1,266	804	4,027	19,906
Iowa.....	73,815	40,848	24,332	26,240	165,235
Kansas.....	5,528	1,008	1,943	4,085	12,564
Kentucky.....	3	10	276		289
Louisiana.....				384	384
Maine.....	1			1,827	1,828
Maryland.....	4,236		619		4,855
Massachusetts.....	410			374	784
Michigan.....	5,862	2,426	904	4,322	13,514
Minnesota.....	57,624	33,546	18,844	18,259	128,273
Mississippi.....	384				384
Missouri.....	5,009	4,154	5,652	1,599	16,414
Nebraska.....	8,475	5,513		5,622	19,610
New Hampshire.....	2			901	903
New Jersey.....	11,107		331		11,438
New York.....	57,095	1	3,959	444	61,499
North Carolina.....	18		1		19
North Dakota.....	1,781	2,031	1,158	1,106	6,076
Ohio.....	9,335	7	2,691	1,553	13,586
Oklahoma.....	338				338
Oregon.....	4,948	1,200	2,280	1,800	10,228
Pennsylvania.....	16,427		16,804		33,231
Rhode Island.....				4	4
South Carolina.....	32				32
South Dakota.....	4,639	12,705	400	9,113	26,857
Tennessee.....	1				2
Utah.....	17,911		2,000	100	20,011
Vermont.....	7			1,045	1,052
Virginia.....	5,704		2,208	1	7,913
Washington.....	57,208		2,822	6,000	66,030
West Virginia.....	132				236
Wisconsin.....	3,215	32,011	1,418	890	37,534
Parcel post.....	864	290	279	89	1,522
Total:					
August 1934.....	419,938	145,627	104,286	100,966	770,817
August 1933.....	492,728	205,719	104,766	90,720	893,933

Receipts and Storage Holdings of Dressed Poultry at 5 Markets

[In thousand pounds; i.e., 000 omitted]

Receipts						
Period and market	New York	Chicago	Boston	Philadelphia	San Francisco	Total
Week ended August 4.....	3,229	427	658	554	85	4,953
Week ended August 11.....	3,198	352	726	546	47	4,869
Week ended August 18.....	3,399	409	930	452	40	5,230
Week ended August 25.....	3,496	469	780	504	120	5,369
August 1934.....	14,477	1,621	3,330	2,137	297	21,862
August 1933.....	16,329	1,355	4,004	1,900	378	23,966
August 5-year average (1929-33).....	15,430	2,681	3,541	2,212	346	24,210
January-August, inclusive, 1934.....	105,194	13,080	25,886	16,725	6,403	167,283
January-August, inclusive, 1933.....	111,787	15,130	31,866	18,707	4,433	181,923
Storage Holdings						
Week ended August 4.....	14,893	5,625	2,980	1,488	1,201	26,187
Week ended August 11.....	14,576	5,645	2,852	1,490	1,137	25,700
Week ended August 18.....	14,899	5,411	2,733	1,421	1,062	25,526
Week ended August 25.....	15,067	5,298	2,794	1,439	963	25,561
August 1, 1934.....	14,826	5,564	3,032	1,397	1,237	26,056
August 1, 1933.....	10,766	6,593	4,386	1,808	973	24,526
5-year average, August 1.....	11,745	6,658	3,319	1,630	1,455	24,810

Receipts of Dressed Poultry at 4 Markets by State of Origin, August 1934

State of origin	New York	Chicago	Philadelphia	Boston	Total, 4 markets
	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>
Alabama.....	94				487
Arkansas.....		393			20,067
California.....	306	154		600	1,060
Delaware.....	1,277				1,277
Florida.....	2,355	110			2,465
Georgia.....	6,147	190			6,337
Illinois.....	595,618	45,310	324,773	655,322	1,621,023
Indiana.....	706,630	30,134		217,253	954,017
Iowa.....	2,423,439	451,502	428,678	549,796	3,853,415
Kansas.....	1,931,042	33,935	106,577	461,521	2,533,125
Kentucky.....	240,403		49,107		289,515
Louisiana.....		31			31
Maine.....	22,303			14,165	36,468
Maryland.....	3,384		600		3,984
Massachusetts.....	1,481			363	1,844
Michigan.....	50,765	22,016		55,520	128,301
Minnesota.....	1,801,240	232,609	289,545	663,234	2,986,628
Mississippi.....	20,323	2,044			22,367
Missouri.....	1,125,289	237,747	392,506	106,216	1,861,758
Montana.....		3,020			3,020
Nebraska.....	1,197,594	83,716	195,339	186,633	1,663,282
Nevada.....	20,861				20,861
New Jersey.....	9,889		43	1,720	11,652
New York.....	2,526,557	547		21,702	2,548,806
North Carolina.....	1,621				1,621
North Dakota.....	124,712	68,281	72,930	129,731	395,654
Ohio.....	140,001	5,981	20,000	22,100	188,082
Oklahoma.....	419,478	2,679	30,888	61,735	514,780
Pennsylvania.....	7,439		350		7,789
South Carolina.....	3,844		89		3,933
South Dakota.....	407,083	148,470		141,745	697,298
Tennessee.....	226,036	95,728		20,041	341,805
Texas.....	258,025	26,392	199,421		483,838
Vermont.....				289	289
Virginia.....	47,239		3,819		51,058
Washington.....	55,408				55,408
Wisconsin.....	93,741	130,068	21,979		250,783
Total:					
August 1934.....	14,476,629	1,621,107	2,136,644	3,329,753	21,564,133
August 1933.....	16,328,771	1,355,365	1,899,883	4,004,380	23,588,404

The casein market during August was slightly easier than in July. At no time during the month, however, were supplies particularly heavy, but in the absence of any buying support quotations sagged fractionally. The demand for paper coating was quiet, but normally this is the slow season of the year for that industry. Buying from other sources was also rather nominal. Quotations on domestic casein f.o.b. Atlantic Seaboard, in car lots, ranged between 11¼ to 12½ cents, with most sales at 12 cents. Jobbing lots were mostly between 14 to 15 cents on 30 mesh and 15 to 16 cents on 70 to 100 mesh.

Poor pastures and short supplies of feed and forage also have reduced supplies of dairy products being marketed, especially in butterfat-producing areas. This reduction is reflected in a 2.2-cent-per-pound increase in the farm price of butterfat from July 15 to August 15. Exceptionally small storage holdings of butter also have lent strength to the butterfat price situation. At 24.3 cents per pound on August 15, the United States average farm price of butterfat was 5.9 cents higher than a year earlier.

Fruits and Vegetables

Car-Lot Shipments of Fruits and Vegetables by States

Shipments During August and for Season to August 31, with Comparisons

Shipping district	August			Season total to Aug. 31, 1934	Season total to Aug. 31, 1933	Season total to Aug. 31, 1932	Total last season
	1934	1933	1932				
APPLES (WESTERN STATES)							
California:							
Northern district.....	52	945	468	666	1,374	1,793	1,450
Central district.....	271	10	254	296	27	307	1,365
Idaho.....	105	0	0	106	0	0	4,871
New Mexico.....	14	0	29	14	0	29	8
Oregon.....	101	6	14	138	6	17	1,748
Washington.....	728	34	115	774	106	286	26,308
Others.....	3	0	2	3	0	3	792
Total.....	1,274	995	882	1,997	1,513	2,435	36,542
APPLES (EASTERN STATES)							
Maryland:							
Eastern Shore.....	5	6	17	14	49	50	110
Other.....	11	22	38	33	58	81	581
Michigan.....	120	58	90	132	66	97	2,084
New Jersey.....	14	47	25	44	80	91	104
New York.....	266	60	200	269	67	203	6,662
Pennsylvania.....	35	12	30	71	29	54	1,272
Virginia.....	61	50	66	88	131	134	5,958
West Virginia.....	80	82	139	125	165	195	2,638
Wisconsin.....	14	42	11	17	44	15	249
Others.....	8	222	189	400	1,190	1,217	6,616
Total.....	623	601	805	1,193	1,879	2,137	26,274
Summary for Western and Eastern States.....	1,897	1,596	1,687	3,190	3,392	4,572	62,816
Additional movement by truck reduced to car-lot equivalents.							
Illinois.....	185	166	194	1153	1126	1171	1290
BEANS, SNAP AND LIMA							
Maryland:							
Eastern Shore.....	15	6	16	135	147	91	148
Other.....	9	0	26	81	30	134	30
New Jersey.....	71	25	22	151	136	53	137
New York.....	12	7	26	16	7	31	15
Virginia:							
Eastern Shore.....	1	2	5	39	26	40	33
Norfolk section.....	28	34	8	341	229	238	302
Others.....	18	18	18	11,597	9,450	9,462	9,798
Total.....	154	92	121	12,360	10,025	10,049	10,463
BLACKBERRIES, DEWBERRIES, LOGANBERRIES							
Washington.....	129	23	92	155	23	92	40
Others.....	0	0	2	42	36	127	36
Total.....	129	23	94	197	59	219	76
CABBAGE							
Colorado.....	91	116	56	135	133	79	497
Illinois.....	25	25	189	32	51	327	71
Iowa.....	15	51	96	70	137	362	169
New York:							
Long Island.....	3	0	0	3	0	0	0
Other.....	225	218	471	237	234	450	5,615
Virginia.....	244	243	154	423	346	235	496
Wisconsin.....	403	108	143	417	111	145	2,273
Others.....	24	26	71	19,018	12,262	13,224	13,802
Total.....	1,030	787	1,180	20,335	13,274	14,852	22,928
CANTALOUPS							
California:							
Northern district.....	7	0	4	13	0	5	0
Southern district.....	1	0	1	1	0	9	0
Central district.....	34	106	216	680	611	1,440	649
Colorado.....	363	756	937	363	756	937	1,593
Delaware.....	142	130	177	196	172	190	172
Indiana.....	35	80	47	269	136	239	136
Maryland Eastern Shore.....	63	76	227	121	114	255	116
New Mexico.....	59	149	349	196	233	559	234
North Carolina.....	24	13	0	191	178	180	178
Texas.....	45	109	288	331	379	547	385
Utah.....	32	9	49	32	9	49	103
Others.....	34	130	192	9,476	8,921	11,744	8,933
Total.....	839	1,558	2,487	11,869	11,509	16,154	12,549
Additional movement by truck reduced to car-lot equivalents.							
Delaware.....	1,977	1,878	1,751	11,410	11,052	1,796	11,052
Maryland, Eastern Shore.....	1,110	1,129	1,338	11,561	11,351	11,420	11,351
CARROTS							
California:							
Central district.....	151	100	147	5,850	4,233	4,476	4,439
Southern district.....	3	1	12	1,050	675	536	676
New York.....	29	17	43	29	17	46	1,429
Others.....	12	23	8	3,294	2,693	2,954	3,028
Total.....	195	146	210	10,223	7,668	8,012	9,572
CASABA MELONS							
California, Central district.....	18	3	11	20	3	13	2
Others.....	0	0	0	20	0	33	4
Total.....	18	3	11	40	3	46	23
CAULIFLOWER							
Colorado.....	259	166	280	278	167	307	958
Others.....	10	36	47	74	162	201	6,681
Total.....	269	202	327	352	329	508	7,639
CELERY							
California:							
Southern district.....	1	3	39	2,492	3,782	4,568	3,784
Central district.....	20	13	1	859	680	429	697
Michigan.....	156	159	164	301	321	454	877
New York.....	105	123	287	136	143	320	2,529
Oregon.....	82	53	62	161	91	83	421
Washington.....	29	22	5	33	24	5	77
Others.....	9	21	31	11,569	8,465	10,813	8,537
Total.....	402	394	589	15,551	13,566	16,672	16,972
CUCUMBERS							
New York.....	126	269	238	126	269	238	699
Others.....	14	28	32	3,210	2,994	3,869	3,440
Total.....	140	297	270	3,336	3,263	4,107	4,139
GRAPES							
Arkansas.....	55	180	183	56	186	195	190
California:							
Northern district.....	722	1	228	728	1	228	8,102
Southern district.....	64	12	90	190	182	330	736
Central district.....	3,082	1,612	2,392	4,803	1,689	2,902	20,217
Iowa.....	12	50	52	12	50	52	118
Michigan.....	10	17	11	10	17	11	592
Missouri.....	64	110	153	64	110	155	111
Washington.....	20	0	2	20	0	2	38
Others.....	10	55	49	168	325	285	1,899
Total.....	4,039	2,037	3,160	6,051	2,560	4,160	32,003
HONEY BALL MELONS							
California:							
Central district.....	54	26	30	54	26	34	70
Imperial Valley (first crop).....	1	154	55	1,132	1,260	1,646	1,260
Others.....	0	0	21	0	10	40	25
Total.....	55	180	106	1,186	1,296	1,720	1,355
HONEYDEW MELONS							
California:							
Northern district.....	109	55	121	129	55	121	348
Central district.....	409	170	581	492	170	587	727
Colorado.....	26	40	29	26	40	29	808
Others.....	9	280	107	2,383	1,657	2,585	1,766
Total.....	553	545	838	3,030	1,922	3,322	3,649
LETTUCE AND ROMAINE							
California:							
Central district.....	2,409	1,875	2,251	20,153	16,304	17,260	19,232
Southern district.....	4	1	0	1,009	1,032	1,519	1,032
Colorado.....	180	252	184	296	325	423	664
New Mexico.....	12	7	0	12	7	0	19
New York.....	486	312	885	1,100	1,077	2,034	1,266
Washington.....	32	325	101	1,341	1,344	1,456	1,466
Others.....	9	0	26	16,481	18,870	21,156	19,260
Total.....	3,132	2,772	3,447	40,392	38,959	43,848	42,940
MIXED DECIDUOUS FRUIT							
California:							
Northern district.....	175	516	463	1,514	1,368	1,795	1,591
Southern district.....	18	12	12	64	14	20	39
Central district.....	16	83	6	211	167	153	203
Idaho.....	10	0	0	21	1	3	5
Washington.....	752	193	540	1,063	243	690	1,003
Others.....	21	9	32	35	12	42	197
Total.....	992	813	1,053	2,908	1,805	2,703	3,038

See footnotes at end of table.

Car-Lot Shipments of Fruits and Vegetables by States—Continued

Shipments During August and for Season to August 31, with Comparisons—Continued

Shipping district	August			Season total to Aug. 31, 1934	Season total to Aug. 31, 1933	Season total to Aug. 31, 1932	Total last season
	1934	1933	1932				
MIXED MELONS							
California:							
Northern district	2	1	0	3	1	0	7
Central district	112	77	166	134	77	192	173
Colorado	11	7	0	11	7	0	118
Others	0	16	15	1,138	1,121	1,477	1,166
Total	125	101	181	1,286	1,206	1,669	1,464
MIXED VEGETABLES							
California:							
Northern district	10	13	11	232	306	203	381
Southern district	45	25	8	1,068	951	926	1,432
Central district	130	46	29	2,019	1,683	1,508	2,913
Colorado	853	573	850	1,578	961	1,390	2,066
Florida	20	101	77	3,164	3,556	2,698	4,477
Illinois	18	24	30	105	115	335	144
New Jersey	16	37	63	40	106	103	109
New York	384	288	277	796	768	515	1,332
North Carolina	11	0	5	575	469	345	469
Virginia:							
Norfolk section	10	0	3	346	489	593	547
Other	45	18	30	68	40	41	52
Washington	66	156	60	653	624	462	701
Others	19	25	49	8,356	7,526	9,545	8,642
Total	1,627	1,306	1,489	19,000	17,594	18,574	23,265
ONIONS							
Important States, late crop							
California:							
Northern district	416	522	79	517	627	153	1,207
Central district	8	5	2	15	9	8	76
Idaho	163	1	0	163	1	0	1,088
Indiana	38	106	379	38	107	380	1,827
Massachusetts	580	256	314	750	331	343	599
Michigan	318	185	89	318	186	89	4,913
New York	346	228	86	350	230	87	2,930
Ohio	14	9	57	14	9	57	956
Utah	71	0	10	71	0	10	472
Wisconsin	26	65	27	26	65	27	175
Others	15	121	181	17	148	268	5,940
Total	1,995	1,498	1,224	2,279	1,713	1,422	20,183
Early and intermediate crop							
California, southern district	32	26	3	240	263	530	263
Iowa	30	78	127	70	353	527	353
Oklahoma	24	44	47	64	47	47	49
Washington	259	220	101	687	239	235	239
Others	2	4	8	8,457	6,685	9,568	6,687
Total	347	372	286	9,518	7,587	10,907	7,591
SUMMARY FOR ONIONS							
Important States, late crop	1,995	1,498	1,224	2,279	1,713	1,422	20,183
Other States, late crop	0	1	1	14	8	2	67
Early and intermediate crop	347	372	286	9,518	7,587	10,907	7,591
Total	2,342	1,871	1,511	11,811	9,308	12,331	27,841
PEACHES							
Alabama	34	0	0	72	15	0	15
Arkansas	1,234	49	0	1,656	256	233	256
California:							
Northern district	2,672	4,814	4,036	6,234	4,957	4,650	8,834
Southern district	1	10	8	2	10	29	21
Central district	1,229	2,071	1,936	3,037	2,233	3,551	3,652
Colorado	1,869	3	725	1,873	3	725	847
Georgia	1,835	7	768	8,168	7,896	2,024	7,896
Idaho	48	0	0	62	0	0	22
Illinois	313	1,765	38	319	1,782	46	1,783
Kentucky	39	27	2	39	27	3	27
Louisiana	16	0	0	20	2	0	2
North Carolina	715	25	1,572	1,076	1,280	1,833	1,280
Oklahoma	27	0	0	27	0	3	0
Oregon	12	0	2	12	0	2	33
Pennsylvania	364	255	317	364	255	317	274
South Carolina	640	1	415	820	719	523	719
Tennessee	636	43	0	763	245	6	245
Texas	10	0	1	16	27	20	27
Utah	115	0	35	125	0	35	0
Virginia	273	739	87	273	741	87	747
Washington	771	7	537	944	7	537	121
Others	17	572	217	23	577	219	1,462
Total	12,870	10,388	10,690	25,925	21,032	14,843	28,263
PEARS							
Alabama	14	0	16	14	0	31	0
California:							
Northern district	1,851	1,666	2,009	5,341	2,796	4,827	4,067
Southern district	3	2	1	3	2	1	26
Central district	514	439	677	1,134	451	918	1,481
Colorado	91	17	51	126	17	51	79

Shipping district	August			Season total to Aug. 31, 1934	Season total to Aug. 31, 1933	Season total to Aug. 31, 1932	Total last season
	1934	1933	1932				
PEARS—con.							
Idaho	12	0	0	18	0	0	11
Illinois	47	6	0	47	6	0	188
Michigan	109	32	133	109	32	133	125
Mississippi	16	0	14	16	0	14	0
New York	62	133	179	62	133	179	1,060
Oregon	1,027	235	703	1,295	235	703	2,829
Texas	31	0	44	52	0	92	0
Utah	14	0	1	14	0	1	0
Washington	1,454	522	600	1,780	522	644	4,347
Others	12	2	11	15	2	14	43
Total	5,257	3,054	4,439	10,026	4,196	7,603	14,196
PEAS, GREEN							
California, central district (second crop)	115	28	16	155	28	16	907
Colorado	333	339	494	582	381	573	445
Idaho	133	172	136	267	253	289	322
Utah	12	1	14	12	1	63	22
Washington	13	142	185	601	1,082	823	1,087
Others	19	4	68	4,046	5,609	4,223	6,257
Total	616	686	913	5,463	7,354	5,987	9,040
PEPPERS							
New Jersey	15	39	27	20	44	32	67
Others	9	6	4	1,877	2,784	2,115	2,982
Total	24	45	31	1,897	2,828	2,147	3,049
PERSIAN MELONS							
California:							
Northern district	4	0	0	4	0	0	4
Central district	120	51	85	134	51	85	105
Total	124	51	85	138	51	85	109
PLUMS AND FRESH PRUNES							
California:							
Northern district	61	425	216	2,156	1,591	2,193	1,616
Southern district	1	0	7	2	2	7	11
Central district	3	42	29	850	873	893	890
Idaho	650	0	0	666	0	0	339
Oregon	924	383	526	1,058	383	526	1,013
Washington	662	116	363	780	117	380	726
Others	3	2	9	7	9	13	145
Total	2,313	968	1,150	5,519	2,975	4,012	4,730
POTATOES							
Late crop (18 surplus States)							
California:							
Northern district	572	371	257	572	371	257	2,532
Central district	302	588	142	302	588	142	2,876
Colorado	463	619	421	769	663	601	12,394
Idaho	1,804	1,267	331	2,724	1,510	567	30,065
Maine	141	374	131	141	374	131	48,756
Minnesota	91	333	680	91	333	725	17,123
Nebraska	243	528	405	279	536	427	9,316
New York:							
Long Island	603	1,142	450	615	1,413	496	2,882
Other	9	0	7	9	0	7	4,269
North Dakota	67	88	6	67	88	6	8,360
Oregon	55	124	23	248	158	51	4,121
Pennsylvania	74	107	5	74	152	7	572
Utah	422	329	30	625	347	32	723
Washington	685	648	485	1,215	1,153	832	5,919
Wisconsin	1,143	293	435	1,155	293	438	5,220
Wyoming	19	48	5	19	48	5	2,436
Others	3	34	180	3	34	181	6,249
Total	6,696	6,893	3,993	8,908	8,061	4,905	163,843
Other States, late crop							
Arizona	22	28	40	45	71	64	73
Iowa	28	76	67	28	76	77	659
Massachusetts	36	16	28	36	17	28	21
Others	17	17	160	59	31	213	190
Total	103	137	295	168	195	382	943
Intermediate crop							
Delaware	38	9	3	44	66	13	66
Kansas	20	14	928	355	1,619	2,638	1,657
Kentucky	49	108	363	54	333	439	335
Maryland	299	22	204	1,224	1,146	1,569	1,147
New Jersey	3,450	3,451	2,204	3,656	4,964	2,307	5,540
Virginia:							
Eastern Shore	512	3	126	13,517	7,641	9,800	7,642
Norfolk section	58	1	6	3,127	1,951	2,687	1,961
Others	25	16	6	289	217	304	223
Others	1	16	216	167	1,598	2,336	1,599
Total	4,452	3,640	4,056	22,433	19,535	22,093	20,170

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PEARS—con.							
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Illinois.....	47	6	0	47	6	0	188
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Mississippi.....	16	0	14	16	0	14	0
New York.....	62	133	179	62	133	179	1,060
Oregon.....	1,027	235	703	1,295	235	703	2,829
Texas.....	31	0	44	52	0	92	0
Utah.....	14	0	1	14	0	1	0
Washington.....	1,454	522	600	1,780	522	644	4,347
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Other.....	9	0	7	9	0	7	4,269
North Dakota.....	67	88	6	67	88	6	8,390
Oregon.....	55	124	23	248	158	51	4,121
Pennsylvania.....	74	107	5	74	152	7	572
Utah.....	422	329	30	625	347	32	723
Washington.....	685	648	485	1,215	1,153	832	5,919
Wisconsin.....	1,143	293	435	1,155	293	438	5,220
Wyoming.....	19	48	5	19	48	5	2,436
Others.....	3	34	180	3	34	181	6,249
Total.....	6,096	6,893	3,993	8,908	8,061	4,905	163,843
Other States, late crop							
Arizona.....	22	28	40	45	71	64	73
Iowa.....	28	76	67	28	76	77	659
Massachusetts.....	36	16	28	36	17	28	21
Others.....	17	17	160	59	31	213	190
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Total.....	4,452	3,640	4,056	22,433	19,535	22,093	20,170

Car-Lot Shipments of Fruits and Vegetables by States—Contd.

Shipments During August and for Season to August 31, with Comparisons—Con.

Shipping district	August			Season total to Aug. 31, 1934	Season total to Aug. 31, 1933	Season total to Aug. 31, 1932	Total last season
	1934	1933	1932				
POTATOES—con.							
Early crop							
California, southern district.....	129	62	93	297	260	229	260
Louisiana.....	23	2	4	2,965	2,092	1,656	2,102
North Carolina.....	33	16	11	10,776	7,044	5,876	7,044
Tennessee.....	72	45	3	413	338	105	344
Others.....	5	2	10	23,238	16,041	14,466	16,061
Total.....	262	127	121	37,689	25,775	22,272	25,811
Summary for potatoes.....	11,513	10,797	8,465	69,198	53,566	49,652	210,767
SWEET POTATOES							
Alabama.....	94	49	33	305	167	156	175
California:							
Central district.....	23	8	26	24	8	27	480
Northern district.....	3	0	0	3	0	0	0
Georgia.....	13	39	25	29	63	107	76
Louisiana.....	219	99	58	252	116	72	1,018
Maryland, Eastern Shore.....	43	41	40	43	41	40	493
Mississippi.....	15	19	7	21	19	16	71
New Jersey.....	13	28	5	13	28	5	1,553
North Carolina.....	103	79	106	103	79	106	416
Tennessee.....	54	47	96	54	47	96	1,085
Virginia:							
Eastern Shore.....	154	172	547	154	172	547	2,506
Norfolk section.....	156	234	188	157	234	193	415
Others.....	3	14	19	36	40	72	2,031
Total.....	893	829	1,150	1,194	1,014	1,437	10,319
TOMATOES							
California:							
Northern district.....	33	43	10	117	59	29	363
Southern district.....	142	67	36	393	149	149	1,089
Central district.....	65	13	24	352	128	99	2,239
Colorado.....	23	9	36	23	9	36	30
New York.....	47	48	134	47	48	134	408
Ohio.....	40	130	184	302	330	583	679
Utah.....	202	49	58	208	50	53	282
Washington.....	70	65	53	125	77	75	100
Others.....	28	126	249	19,053	17,337	16,811	17,718
Total.....	650	550	784	20,650	18,187	17,974	22,908
TURNIPS AND RUTABAGAS							
Virginia.....	27	1	8	40	6	11	6
Wisconsin.....	19	11	4	19	12	4	182
Others.....	13	22	9	142	126	127	889
Total.....	59	34	21	201	144	142	1,077
WATERMELONS							
Alabama.....	16	69	61	935	512	833	542
Arkansas.....	17	67	56	192	135	173	135
California:							
Southern district.....	16	0	3	35	1	3	2
Central district.....	94	216	299	905	622	1,173	656
Delaware.....	47	53	88	47	53	88	67
Georgia.....	332	483	657	8,893	9,268	8,985	9,291
Illinois.....	81	51	33	81	51	33	99
Indiana.....	105	11	29	108	11	30	16
Maryland:							
Eastern Shore.....	289	216	297	291	216	297	362
Other.....	4	6	10	4	6	10	8
Mississippi.....	34	10	7	288	32	35	34
Missouri.....	1,594	1,982	1,489	2,551	2,027	1,667	2,351
North Carolina.....	783	775	633	1,146	1,705	1,628	1,705
Oregon.....	44	20	16	44	20	16	30
South Carolina.....	150	298	285	2,327	4,397	3,617	4,397
Texas.....	36	101	107	2,173	2,270	3,154	2,272
Virginia:							
Eastern Shore.....	38	33	22	38	33	23	44
Norfolk section.....	282	568	455	285	570	455	580
Other.....	529	265	398	531	271	403	423
Washington.....	121	57	128	139	57	128	66
Others.....	11	101	201	6,908	6,556	8,721	6,672
Total.....	4,623	5,382	5,274	27,921	28,813	31,472	29,752
Grand total ⁴	56,880	47,507	51,763	331,249	277,838	298,877	616,947

¹ Not included in grand total.² Does not include Eastern Shore or Norfolk section.³ Includes 1,457 cars for Federal Emergency Relief Administration.⁴ The season grand total shows the total movement of the products given in this table and does not include the totals of fruits and vegetables not actively moving during the month.

Correction

In the table of car-lot shipments of citrus fruit for July published in the August issue of CROPS AND MARKETS the statistics for mixed citrus fruit should be:

July 1932, California, southern district, 243; others 2, total 245.

June 1932, California, southern district, 337; others 53, total 390.

Car-Lot Shipments of Citrus Fruit for August

State and product	August			July		
	1934	1933	1932	1934	1933	1932
GRAPEFRUIT						
California, Southern district.....	160	92	107	270	131	134
Others.....	2	205	0	1	428	5
Total.....	162	297	107	271	559	139
Additional movement by truck reduced to car-lot equivalents: California, Southern district.....	10	(1)	(1)	9	(1)	(1)
LEMONS						
California:						
Northern district.....	2	0	0	0	0	0
Southern district.....	1,504	1,291	979	2,674	1,494	1,775
Central district.....	6	0	0	8	0	0
Total.....	1,512	1,291	979	2,682	1,494	1,775
ORANGES AND SATSUMAS						
California, Southern district.....	5,146	4,616	4,751	4,902	5,206	5,907
Others.....	0	9	0	0	368	11
Total.....	5,146	4,625	4,751	4,902	5,574	5,918
Additional movement by truck reduced to car-lot equivalents: California, Southern district.....	63	(1)	(1)	53	(1)	(1)
MIXED CITRUS FRUIT						
California:						
Southern district.....	229	194	183	281	202	243
Central district.....	2	0	0	0	0	2
Others.....	0	8	0	2	40	0
Total.....	231	202	183	283	242	245

¹ Unavailable.

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- 415T. Shortening the Rest Period of the Potato. William Stuart and E. H. Milstead. (5¢.)
- 417T. Beef Production and Quality as Influenced by Crossing Brahman with Hereford and Shorthorn Cattle. W. H. Black and A. T. Semple. (10¢.)
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- Yearbook of Agriculture, 1934. For sale only. Price, \$1.

Cold-Storage Holdings

Report of September 1, 1934

Cold-storage stocks of cold-pack fruit were reduced during August by 4,543,000 pounds. They exceeded last year's holdings by 3,882,000 but were 11,194,000 pounds less than the 5-year average.

Creamery butter stocks increased during the month by 11,687,000 pounds; the average increase for this period has been 5,294,000. A year ago the increase was 24,542,000 pounds.

American cheese stocks moved into storage to the extent of 6,718,000 pounds. Stocks exceeded those of September 1 a year ago by 9,342,000 pounds and the 5-year average by 20,180,000.

Total stocks of all varieties of cheese were 14,185,000 pounds greater than those of last year and 21,911,000 greater than the 5-year average.

Cold-Storage Holdings on Sept. 1, 1934, with Comparisons

[Thousands; i.e., 000 omitted]

Commodity	Aug. 1, 5-year average 1929-33	Aug. 1, 1933	Aug. 1, 1934	Sept. 1, 5-year average 1929-33	Sept. 1, 1933	Sept. 1, 1934
Fruits						
Pears:						
Boxes.....	118	18	714	972	647	1,727
Baskets.....	3	1	56	212	122	108
Frozen and preserved fruits, (pounds).....	82,038	69,275	76,056	82,707	67,631	71,513
Dairy Products						
Cream (40-quart cans):						
40 percent.....		199	170		165	147
20 percent.....		3	10		3	9
Butter (pounds):						
Creamery.....	134,597	150,934	108,748	139,891	175,476	120,435
Packing stock.....			923			988
Cheese (pounds):						
American.....	79,564	82,771	97,018	83,556	94,394	103,736
Swiss, including block.....	4,898	2,812	8,550	6,671	4,845	9,139
Brick and Munster.....	1,211	1,814	2,040	1,008	1,728	1,724
Limburger.....	1,043	651	2,017	1,195	1,000	1,740
All other varieties.....	8,461	6,243	6,217	7,879	6,968	5,881
Total.....	95,177	94,291	115,842	100,309	108,035	122,220
Eggs						
Shell (cases).....	9,120	9,507	8,961	8,568	8,944	7,935
Frozen (pounds).....	105,840	107,600	121,564	101,104	102,449	112,348
Frozen, case equivalent (cases).....	3,024	3,076	3,473	2,839	2,927	3,210
Total, case equivalent, both shell and frozen (cases).....	12,144	12,583	12,434	11,457	11,871	11,146
Frozen Poultry (pounds)						
Broilers.....	6,221	5,520	5,783	9,254	9,137	9,548
Fryers.....	1,711	1,002	1,690	1,780	1,957	1,839
Roasters.....	5,379	6,199	7,134	4,249	4,881	5,647
Fowls.....	7,218	12,178	11,061	7,039	12,526	11,123
Turkeys.....	5,355	5,709	6,648	4,415	4,062	4,766
Ducks.....		3,452	2,892		4,675	3,066
Miscellaneous.....	13,574	10,310	9,690	14,879	10,551	9,465
Total.....	39,458	44,970	44,904	41,616	47,789	46,054
Meats (pounds)						
Beef:						
Frozen.....	29,015	27,972	40,363	28,944	33,160	62,952
In process of cure.....	8,843	10,820	12,980	9,156	12,104	11,146
Cured.....	6,166	3,031	8,202	5,823	3,183	6,139
Total.....	44,024	41,823	61,545	43,928	48,446	80,237
Pork:						
Frozen.....	190,930	228,177	181,254	149,162	194,922	150,707
Dry salt, in process of cure.....	68,893	72,606	44,210	62,670	67,677	30,665
Dry salt, cured.....	73,591	73,697	47,407	70,316	77,211	33,388
Pickled, in process of cure.....	252,187	268,839	227,866	208,825	258,085	190,609
Pickled, cured.....	160,190	165,003	142,829	149,227	158,806	135,144
Total.....	725,797	808,322	643,566	640,200	756,701	540,493
Lamb and mutton, frozen.....	2,323	1,594	1,518	2,351	1,487	1,606
Miscellaneous meats, frozen and cured.....	73,363	74,522	78,266	69,093	72,848	89,420
Total.....	845,507	926,251	784,895	755,602	879,482	711,756
Lard.....	156,833	219,259	209,497	138,011	224,476	168,719

¹ Frozen eggs are converted on the basis of 35 pounds to a case.

² Figures on miscellaneous poultry no longer comparable in that ducks were included in these figures previous to July 1, 1932.

Meats from "Drought-stricken livestock" held for the account of the Federal Emergency Relief Administration are not included in the above figures.

Stocks of shell eggs moved out of storage at the rate of 1,025,000 cases during August. This out-movement seems to have been unusually heavy for the period. A year ago, 563,000 cases were moved, and the 5-year average movement is 552,000. Stocks were 1,008,000 cases below those of a year ago and 632,000 below the 5-year average.

Frozen egg stocks were 9,899,000 pounds heavier than those of a year ago; 11,244,000 pounds heavier than the 5-year average. The total case equivalent of both shell and frozen eggs was less than last year by 725,000 and the 5-year average by 311,000.

Total stocks of poultry were increased by 1,150,000 pounds and were 1,735,000 less than those of last year at this time but 4,438,000 pounds above the 5-year average.

Frozen and cured beef stocks increased nearly 19,000,000 pounds and were 32,000,000 heavier than a year ago and 36,000,000 heavier than the 5-year average.

Cold-Storage Holdings Sept. 1, 1934, by Sections

[Thousands; i.e., 000 omitted]

Commodity	New Eng- land	Middle At- lantic	East North Central	West North Central	South At- lantic	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific
Fruits									
Pears:									
Boxes.....	2	69	28	7	4	1	6	5	1,605
Baskets.....		53	24		1	1	1	10	18
Frozen and preserved fruits (pounds).....	3,091	23,328	13,922	2,983	4,762	373	587	87	22,380
Dairy Products									
Cream (40-quart cans):									
40 percent.....	10	104	12	21					
20 percent.....		5	3		1				
Butter (pounds):									
Creamery.....	7,336	20,438	46,789	28,683	1,096	4,578	2,746	1,614	7,155
Packing stock.....		12	653	52	83		152		36
Cheese (pounds):									
American.....	3,561	25,714	53,526	2,865	3,479	963	1,630	2,535	4,454
Swiss, including block.....		1,218	6,925	86	33	8	216	546	167
Brick and Munster.....		62	1,406	103	27	1	60	25	40
Limburger.....		191	1,489	16			2	22	20
All other varieties.....	245	3,292	1,298	191	11	417	127	23	277
Eggs:									
Shell (cases).....	272	1,883	3,014	1,384	212	247	193	111	620
Frozen (pounds).....	4,143	18,621	34,515	36,839	2,946	3,010	8,226	435	3,613
Frozen Poultry (pounds)									
Broilers.....	446	3,338	2,615	1,545	181	123	66	8	1,226
Fryers.....	46	376	772	525	14	3	22		81
Roasters.....	378	3,392	938	714	149	12	4		60
Fowls.....	677	5,602	1,324	2,455	153	146	78	97	591
Turkeys.....	583	1,810	619	422	147	12	173	16	984
Ducks.....	699	2,127	622	41	72	18	7		80
Miscellaneous.....	460	5,834	1,061	1,449	177	94	21	5	364
Meats (pounds)									
Beef:									
Frozen.....	1,278	4,773	24,431	18,400	1,399	205	8,142	2,268	2,056
In process of cure.....	41	1,624	6,867	1,953	56	63	374	49	119
Cured.....	24	930	3,225	1,725	95	3		24	113
Pork:									
Frozen.....	5,085	7,713	54,733	66,296	3,868	1,865	5,404	3,123	2,620
Dry salt in process of cure.....	659	1,485	11,126	13,523	1,043	732	1,095	673	329
Dry salt cured.....	498	318	10,597	16,839	2,044	721	1,540	589	222
Pickled in process of cure.....	6,991	12,980	62,372	88,565	4,886	2,419	4,416	3,131	4,849
Pickled cured.....	2,143	6,515	53,268	60,855	3,521	514	3,111	2,469	2,748
Lamb and mutton, frozen.....	130	736	354	158	9	6	19	11	183
Miscellaneous meats, frozen and cured.....	2,544	7,359	30,427	36,121	2,658	1,504	2,368	4,288	2,121
Lard.....	8,809	5,979	126,597	19,675	954	852	3,056	1,967	850

Meats Placed in Cure or Frozen During the Month

[Thousands of pounds; i.e., 000 omitted]

Variety	July 5-year average, 1929-33	July 1933	July 1934	Aug. 5-year average, 1929-33	Aug. 1933	Aug. 1934
Beef:						
Frozen.....	8,833	13,569	27,311	9,952	15,793	37,088
Placed in cure.....	6,196	7,074	6,181	6,231	8,331	6,112
Pork:						
Frozen.....	50,422	69,179	61,966	33,551	38,254	43,287
Dry salt, placed in cure.....	71,259	70,703	45,888	60,209	64,315	37,137
Pickled, placed in cure.....	180,805	203,742	158,977	153,246	185,822	149,654
Lamb and mutton, frozen.....	566	432	659	608	493	829

Grain

Weekly Weighted Price per Bushel of Reported Cash Sales, August 1934, with Comparisons of Monthly Averages

Wheat

Market and grade	Weekly averages					Monthly averages			
	July 30-Aug. 4	Aug. 6-11	Aug. 13-18	Aug. 20-25	Aug. 27-Sept. 1	1933, Aug.	1934		
							June	July	Aug.
CHICAGO									
Hd. Winter.....No. 2..	Cents 106	Cents 112	Cents 109	Cents 111	Cents 108	Cents 94	94	93	109
No. 3..	105	111	108	110	108	92	92	100	109
Red Winter.....No. 2..	102	108	103	105	104	93	93	95	105
No. 3..	101	105	102	104	102	93	94	93	103
MINNEAPOLIS									
Dk. No. Spring Heavy									
No. 1..	119	126	122	121	121	192	104	111	123
Dk. No. Spring.....No. 1..	117	123	120	119	118	92	104	108	120
No. 2..	117	122	119	119	117	93	103	110	119
No. Spring.....No. 1..	115	119	118	119	117	94	109	110	117
No. 2..	112	117	117	117	115	92	103	110	114
Hd. Amber Durum									
No. 2..	140	145	132	145	148			132	144
Amber Durum.....No. 2..	125	140	124	149	140	102	112	124	136
KANSAS CITY									
Dk. Hd. Winter.....No. 2..	104	108	106	107	106	90	90	93	106
No. 3..	104	109	105	106	106	90	89	93	106
Hd. Winter.....No. 2..	104	109	106	107	106	90	89	93	107
No. 3..	103	109	105	106	106	90	88	92	106
ST. LOUIS									
Hd. Winter.....No. 2..	107	112	108	110		94	94	96	109
Red Winter.....No. 2..	99	103	100	102	102	92	91	92	101
No. 3..	98	103	99	101	101	93	90	91	101
SIX MARKETS ²									
By classes (all grades)									
Hd. Red Spring.....	117	123	120	120	119	92	104	109	120
Durum.....	134	135	128	140	146	97	103	126	138
Red Durum.....	112	116	110	115				100	113
Hd. Red Winter.....	106	111	107	109	108	91	89	94	108
Soft Red Winter.....	100	105	101	103	102	91	89	92	102
All classes and grades...	108	116	114	117	118	92	95	95	115
WINNIPEG (cash close)									
No. Spring.....No. 1..	89	94	88	87	83	69	78	83	88

Corn

CHICAGO									
White.....No. 2..	72	78	77	80	83	54	63	66	79
No. 3..	73	76		80		53	62	65	76
Yellow.....No. 2..	71	76	77	79	81	51	59	64	77
No. 3..	71	75	76	78	80	51	58	64	76
KANSAS CITY									
White.....No. 2..	76	80	80	82	85	50	60	67	80
No. 3..		82				52	59	64	82
Yellow.....No. 2..	73	79	78	78	82	50	57	64	78
No. 3..		76	77	79		50	57		78
ST. LOUIS									
White.....No. 2..	75	80	80	82	84	54	64	69	80
No. 3..	73	78	79	80	83	54	64	69	79
Yellow.....No. 2..	72	77	77	79	82	53	60	64	78
No. 3..	72	77	77	79	81	51	60	64	77
FIVE MARKETS ²									
All classes and grades...	71	76	77	78	81	50	58	64	77

Oats, white

CHICAGO.....No. 3..	45	50	50	51	53	36	43	45	49
MINNEAPOLIS.....No. 3..	47	51	53	53	54	35	42	46	50
KANSAS CITY.....No. 3..	48	49				36	42		49
ST. LOUIS.....No. 3..	45	50	49	52	54	36	44	45	49

Rye

CHICAGO.....No. 2..	75	86	88	88	89	71	67	73	86
MINNEAPOLIS.....No. 2..	80	88	90	90	89	72	69	74	89

Barley

Market and grade	Weekly averages					Monthly averages			
	July 30-Aug. 4	Aug. 6-11	Aug. 13-18	Aug. 20-25	Aug. 27-Sept. 1	1933, Aug.	1934		
							June	July	Aug.
FIVE MARKETS ²									
MINNEAPOLIS.....Malting	Cents 91	Cents 96	Cents 101	Cents 107	Cents 108				
No. 2..								91	100
MINNEAPOLIS.....No. 2..	84	91	94	98	101			81	95

Flaxseed

MINNEAPOLIS.....No. 1..	193	203	203	206	207	188	191	190	205
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¹ No. 1 Hard Spring.

² Duluth and Omaha included in wheat; Minneapolis and Omaha in corn.

Weekly Closing Prices of Futures, August 1934, with Comparisons of Monthly Averages

SEPTEMBER FUTURES ¹

Wheat

Market	Weekly averages					Monthly averages			
	July 30-Aug. 4	Aug. 6-11	Aug. 13-18	Aug. 20-25	Aug. 27-Sept. 1	1933, Aug.	1934		
							June	July	Aug.
Chicago.....	Cents 103	Cents 108	Cents 102	Cents 104	Cents 102	Cents 92	Cents 96	Cents 96	Cents 104
Minneapolis.....	108	116	112	112	111	91	96	100	112
Kansas City.....	100	106	101	102	101	87	88	92	103
Winnipeg ²	90	95	89	88	84	71	80	85	89
Liverpool ²	88	95	88	89	87	71	76	80	90

Corn

Chicago.....	71	77	75	77	79	52	59	63	76
Kansas City.....	71	78	76	78	80	49	56	63	77

Oats

Chicago.....	46	51	49	51	51	38	43	45	50
Winnipeg ²	42	46	44	48	47	38	38	39	46

DECEMBER FUTURES

Wheat

Chicago.....	105	111	105	105	104	96	97	98	106
Minneapolis.....	108	116	111	111	110	93		100	112
Kansas City.....	100	106	101	102	101	90	90	92	103
Winnipeg ²	92	96	90	88	85	73	81	86	90
Liverpool ²	91	99	92	93	91	73	78	83	93

Corn

Chicago.....	74	80	78	78	80	57	60	65	78
Kansas City.....	73	82	78	78	80	53		64	79

Oats

Chicago.....	48	53	51	51	52	41	44	46	51
Winnipeg ²	42	47	44	47	47	38	38	39	46

¹ October futures for Winnipeg and Liverpool.

² Conversions at current rate of exchange.

Drought damage to corn apparently had a bullish influence on all grain markets. This factor, together with a probable short wheat crop outturn in all Northern Hemisphere countries raised the United States average farm price of wheat 10.8 cents during the month ended August 15. At 89.6 cents per bushel in mid-August the farm price of wheat was 14.9 cents higher than a year earlier when a domestic crop about 37,000,000 bushels larger than the 1934 harvest was anticipated and the carry-over was estimated at about 101,000,000 bushels greater than at the beginning of the current crop year.

Hay-Feed-Seeds

Receipts of Hay at Important Markets

August 1934, with Comparisons

[Car lots]

Market	August 1934	July and August 1934-35	August 1933	July and August 1933-34
Boston.....	48	121	64	104
New York.....	60	255	170	355
Pittsburgh.....	57	65	82	130
Cincinnati.....	102	170	57	87
Chicago.....	153	356	62	71
Minneapolis-St. Paul.....	185	318	134	172
St. Louis.....	141	217	45	91
Omaha.....	603	1,188	362	529
Kansas City.....	2,356	5,098	410	675
Los Angeles ¹	920	2,639	1,508	3,486
San Francisco.....	64	117	89	203
Denver ²	16	146	33	53
Total.....	4,705	10,690	3,016	5,956

¹ Includes receipts by truck in city proper, and at nearby distributing points.² Includes receipts by truck.

Monthly Average¹ Prices per Ton of Hay and Straw in Carloads at Important Markets, August 1934

Commodity	Chicago	Kansas City	Los Angeles	San Francisco	Portland	Commodity	Cincinnati	St. Louis	Minneapolis & St. Paul
U.S. No. 1 Timothy.....	Dol. 25.50	Dol. 23.75	Dol. 25.50	Dol. 25.50	Dol. 25.50	No. 1 Timothy.....	Dol. 21.09	Dol. 21.70	Dol. 20.00
U.S. No. 2 Timothy.....	23.75	23.75	23.75	23.75	23.75	No. 2 Timothy.....	19.69	19.69	19.00
U.S. No. 1 Tim. Lht. Clo. Mxd.	25.50	25.50	25.50	25.50	25.50	No. 1 Lht. Clo. Mxd.	20.50	20.50	20.50
U.S. No. 2 Tim. Lht. Clo. Mxd.	23.75	23.75	23.75	23.75	23.75	No. 2 Clover.....	20.56	19.00	19.00
U.S. No. 1 Ex. Lfy. Alfalfa.....	24.50	25.56	25.56	25.56	25.56	No. 1 Alfalfa.....	21.60	17.05	14.50
U.S. No. 1 Alfalfa.....	22.50	16.55	14.05	14.90	14.90	No. 2 Alfalfa.....	18.50	20.00	20.00
U.S. No. 2 Alfalfa.....	20.50	15.10	12.30	12.30	12.30	Standard Alfalfa.....	21.75	21.75	21.75
U.S. No. 3 Alfalfa.....	17.25	17.25	17.25	17.25	17.25	No. 2 Alfalfa.....	13.50	20.60	20.60
U.S. No. 1 Upland Prairie.....	22.50	17.75	17.75	17.75	17.75	No. 1 Upland.....	19.30	19.55	19.55
U.S. No. 2 Upland Prairie.....	21.00	16.90	16.90	16.90	16.90	No. 2 Upland.....	17.25	18.95	18.95
Wheat straw.....	8.25	8.25	8.25	8.25	8.25	No. 1 Midland.....	17.25	17.25	17.25
Oat straw.....	8.25	8.25	8.25	8.25	8.25				
Rye straw.....	9.50	9.50	9.50	9.50	9.50				

¹ Average of bulk of sales price for 1 day each week.

Imports of Forage Plant Seeds

[Reported by the Division of Seed Investigations, Bureau of Plant Industry]

Permitted Entry into the United States under the Federal Seed Act

Kind of seed	August		July 1, 1934, to Aug. 31, 1934	July 1, 1933, to Aug. 31, 1933
	1934	1933		
Bluegrass, Canada.....	Pounds 16,800	Pounds 143,500	Pounds 143,500	Pounds 1,760
Bromegrass, awnless.....	2,000	1,200	1,200	1,200
Clover, crimson.....	65,400	1,220,500	1,220,500	1,220,500
Clover, white.....	141,600	139,500	139,500	251,000
Mixtures, grass.....		100	100	100
Rape, winter.....	59,800	59,800	59,800	120,300
Ryegrass, Italian.....		11,200	11,200	15,700
Ryegrass, perennial.....		63,300	63,300	79,000
Vetch, hairy.....		614,600	614,600	1,359,000
Vetch, spring.....	8,800	129,700	129,700	262,090

Not Subject to the Federal Seed Act

Bentgrass.....	1,700	1,700	1,700
Clover, hur.....	4,000	4,000	4,000
Clover, subterranean.....	200	200	200
Clover, suckling.....	700	700	700
Dogtail, crested.....	174,400	153,400	131,500
Fescue, Chewings.....	10,800	10,800	10,800
Fescue, other.....	300	300	300
Grass, annual meadow.....	13,600	13,900	13,900
Grass, Dallis.....	2,800	2,800	2,800
Grass, rescue.....	1,100	1,100	1,100
Grass, Rhodes.....	52,100	71,400	132,500
Grass, rough-stalked meadow.....	11,600	11,600	11,600
Grass, slender wheat.....	500	66,900	66,900
Grass, Sudan.....	600	600	600
Grass, velvet.....	109,100	109,100	109,100
Peas, Austrian winter.....	100	100	100
Trefoil, bird's-foot.....	5,200	5,200	5,200
Trefoil, yellow.....	100	100	100
Vetch, purple.....	300	300	300
Yarrow.....			

¹ From Canada.² From Hungary.³ 130,400 pounds from Poland; 40,700 pounds from Germany (of Polish origin); 100 pounds from Great Britain.⁴ 189,700 pounds from Japan; 10,900 pounds from the Netherlands; 10,500 pounds from Belgium.⁵ From New Zealand.⁶ From Belgium.

A drastic drought inflicted curtailment of hay production in all States west of the Mississippi River except Washington and Oregon and raised the United States average of prices received by farmers for hay approximately \$2.30 per ton during the month ended August 15.

Feedstuffs: Average¹ Prices at Important Markets, August 1934

[Per ton, bagged, in car lots, sight-draft basis]

Commodity	Boston	Philadelphia	Buffalo	Pittsburgh	Cincinnati	Chicago	Milwaukee	Minneapolis	St. Louis	Memphis	Atlanta	Kansas City	Omaha	Fort Worth	Denver	Los Angeles	San Francisco	Portland, Ore.
Standard spring wheat bran.....	Dol. 29.95	Dol. 29.40	Dol. 26.50	Dol. 23.15	Dol. 25.20	Dol. 24.50	Dol. 22.55	Dol. 24.30	Dol. 24.30	Dol. 26.20	Dol. 31.65	Dol. 22.55	Dol. 22.45	Dol. 26.50				
Soft winter wheat bran.....				23.15														
Hard winter wheat bran.....																		
Standard spring wheat middlings.....	31.05	29.90	27.15		26.20	25.70	23.75	24.30	26.20	31.65	22.55	22.45	26.50					
Spring wheat flour middlings.....		37.00	33.50	34.15	30.30	30.00	28.00											
Soft winter wheat middlings.....				32.65														
Brown winter wheat shorts.....																		
Gray winter wheat shorts.....				32.65					29.10	32.00	36.50	26.90	27.25					
Red Dog flour for feed.....			34.40		32.50							27.90	28.00	32.30			27.70	25.00
Wheat mixed feed.....												32.00	32.25					
Linseed meal (34 percent).....	43.50	41.50	40.55	42.75	44.00	43.75	41.75	45.40	47.95	44.35	45.50	50.20	50.55			25.65	22.75	19.80
Cottonseed meal (43 percent).....						42.90	44.25	40.60				47.10	39.90			28.90	31.90	29.30
Cottonseed meal (41 percent).....	30.95	36.65	39.90	37.65	39.35			38.10	34.80	32.20	32.75					31.75	34.55	35.50
Cottonseed meal (36 percent).....	35.80																	
Digester feeding tankage (60 percent).....																		
No. 1 alfalfa meal (medium).....					28.75			35.00				35.65	35.65			22.75	20.10	
Gluten feed.....	39.80	30.15	29.45	28.15	25.70	27.10	29.30	25.40		35.20	37.15	27.15	26.00					
Gluten meal.....	40.55		39.25		35.45	36.85	39.05	34.90		33.35	36.15	36.15		31.25				
White hominy feed.....	32.15	31.05	30.50	30.65	29.65	28.75					34.00	29.25	27.00	32.35				
Yellow hominy feed.....			31.15									28.00						
Dried beet pulp.....												30.75				19.75	16.70	
Soybean meal.....			39.40					40.40				42.10				31.30	31.15	30.90
Copra meal.....																23.25	20.00	

¹ Average of bulk-of-sales price for 1 day each week.² 37 percent protein.³ Finely ground.

Cotton

Average Price of Middling Spot Cotton at 10 Markets for August 1925-34

Market	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934
Norfolk	23.39	17.79	19.46	19.03	18.74	11.93	6.96	7.34	9.46	13.21
Augusta	23.14	17.50	19.37	19.11	18.22	11.28	6.83	7.24	9.30	13.27
Savannah	23.19	17.55	19.32	18.88	18.10	11.11	6.68	7.18	9.28	13.24
Montgomery	22.59	17.26	18.79	18.97	17.65	10.72	6.30	6.91	8.89	12.88
New Orleans	23.07	18.01	19.36	19.00	18.57	11.56	7.02	7.29	9.48	13.28
Memphis	23.69	17.83	18.95	18.62	17.77	10.88	6.20	6.88	9.08	12.97
Little Rock	23.51	17.67	18.85	18.45	17.68	10.78	6.13	6.75	9.03	12.90
Dallas	23.38	17.48	18.51	18.02	17.50	10.64	6.23	6.76	9.09	12.95
Houston	23.71	17.69	19.46	18.54	18.04	11.24	6.62	7.19	9.44	13.27
Galveston	23.88	17.72	19.49	18.60	18.08	11.28	6.72	7.21	9.39	13.25
Average	23.35	17.65	19.16	18.72	18.04	11.14	6.57	7.08	9.24	13.12

Average of Spot Prices for No. 5 or Middling Upland Cotton at New York for August 1911-34

	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents
1911	12.53	1917	25.49	1923	25.20
1912	12.04	1918	33.88	1924	29.02
1913	12.14	1919	23.10	1925	23.72
1914		1920	36.23	1926	18.57
1915	9.41	1921	13.79	1927	20.04
1916	14.64	1922	21.86	1928	19.28
				1934	13.40

Average Premiums for Staple Lengths of the Grade No. 5 or Middling, Sept. 7, 1934, with Comparisons

	New Orleans			Memphis		
	Sept. 7, 1934	Sept. 8, 1933	Sept. 9, 1932	Sept. 7, 1934	Sept. 8, 1933	Sept. 9, 1932
No. 5 short staple	Cents 13.32	Cents 8.68	Cents 8.09	Cents 13.15	Cents 8.30	Cents 7.55
Length in inches	Points	Points	Points	Points	Points	Points
1 1/16	125	110	80	110	100	90
1 1/8	175	160	100	150	165	125
1 1/4	270	285		275	265	175
1 1/2	405	410		550	490	350

¹ Nominal.

American Cotton Consumption

Aug. 31, 1934, with Comparisons

[Exclusive of linters]

Month	1913-14	1930-31	1931-32	1932-33	1933-34 ¹	1934-35	5-year average, 1929-30 to 1933-34	Percent this year is of 5-year average
Aug	432,350	352,626	425,030	404,497	588,570	420,949	465,895	90.4
Sept	442,435	393,390	464,335	492,742	499,456		479,157	
Oct	511,923	443,284	461,023	501,893	503,873		509,966	
Nov	456,356	415,315	425,223	502,434	475,268		471,900	
Dec	456,262	405,518	415,401	440,439	343,393		412,487	
Jan	517,299	450,117	434,726	470,182	508,034		487,844	
Feb	455,231	433,376	451,239	441,203	477,890		459,621	
March	493,354	490,509	488,907	495,183	543,690		505,187	
April	499,646	508,691	366,481	470,359	512,703		478,029	
May	466,744	465,363	332,372	620,561	519,765		482,269	
June	446,145	453,901	322,706	697,261	363,414		448,504	
July	443,333	450,884	278,568	600,641	359,372		413,697	
Total	5,626,078	5,262,974	4,866,016	6,137,395	5,700,558		5,614,556	

¹ Subject to slight revisions.

Linters consumed during the month of August 1934 amounted to 61,228 bales compared with 63,143 bales in July and 82,736 bales in August 1933.

Approximate Average Price Discounts on Middling 13/16 Inch from Middling 7/8 in New Orleans, Houston, and Galveston

Calculated from Actual Sales and Partially Estimated

[In points, or hundredths of a cent, a pound]

Season	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Average
1924-25	50	50	50	75	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	85
1925-26	150	150	150	150	150	125	125	100	100	100	100	100	125
1926-27	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1927-28	75	75	75	100	125	125	100	100	100	100	75	75	94
1928-29	50	50	50	65	65	75	75	75	75	75	75	75	67
1929-30	75	75	100	125	150	150	125	100	100	100	100	100	108
1930-31	100	100	100	100	100	100	95	95	95	80	85	85	95
1931-32	75	60	50	33	33	26	25	30	26	15	25	25	36
1932-33	¹ 25	¹ 25	¹ 28	25	11	13	10	14	22	28	30	22	21
1933-34	20	22	24	26	25	25	23	20	22	23	25	26	23

¹ Nominal.

Exports of American Cotton

Aug. 1 to Sept. 7, 1934, with Comparisons

[Compiled from Government and commercial reports]

To—	Aug. 1, 1913-Sept. 13, 1913	Aug. 1, 1931-Sept. 11, 1931	Aug. 1, 1932-Sept. 9, 1932	Aug. 1, 1933-Sept. 8, 1933	Aug. 1, 1934-Sept. 7, 1934	4-year average, 1930-33	Percent this year is of 4-year average
	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Bales	Percent
Great Britain	124,805	11,378	81,555	135,758	64,170	78,495	81.8
France	52,155	14,696	108,728	100,006	22,431	88,687	25.3
Germany	139,816	42,910	159,993	131,190	64,067	138,462	46.3
Italy	15,490	26,842	71,631	52,044	22,772	45,591	49.9
Japan	2,626	108,600	102,472	144,856	85,067	108,931	78.1
Russia	5,901			30,224		11,540	
Spain	22,277	14,944	43,704	23,859	22,335	27,774	82.2
Belgium	10,056	11,826	16,555	11,445	5,875	12,252	48.0
Canada	3,331	12,000	6,680	20,000	20,000	13,170	151.9
Other countries	10,095	¹ 127,667	² 65,414	³ 83,738	⁴ 58,617	79,839	73.4
Total	386,552	370,869	656,732	733,120	365,834	604,747	60.5

¹ Includes 100,456 bales to China.

² Includes 45,960 bales to China.

³ Includes 29,503 bales to China.

⁴ Includes 23,827 bales to China.

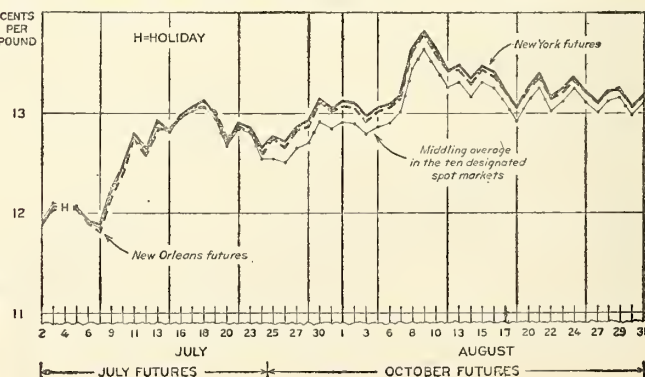
Imports of Foreign Cotton

Aug. 1-31, 1934, with Comparisons

[500-pound bales]

Country of production	1913-14	1930-31	1931-32	1932-33	1933-34	1934-35	5-year average, 1929-30 to 1933-34	Percent this year is of 5-year average
Egypt	5,553	22	2,989	6,156	8,101	7,519	6,909	108.8
Peru	557		215	264	921	46	795	5.8
China	832	1,025	654	615	913	274	723	37.9
Mexico	29		215			815	43	1,895.3
India	814	4,828	3,153	102	2,323	2,025	2,955	68.5
Other countries		26	10	86		3	57	5.3
Total	7,785	5,901	7,236	7,223	12,258	10,682	11,482	93.0

Comparative Cotton Prices for July and August



Stocks of American Cotton at European Ports

[Compiled from commercial reports]

At—	Sept. 12, 1913	Sept. 7, 1928	Sept. 6, 1929	Sept. 5, 1930	Sept. 11, 1931	Sept. 9, 1932	Sept. 8, 1933	Sept. 7, 1934	5-year average ¹
	1,000 bales	1,000 bales	1,000 bales	1,000 bales	1,000 bales	1,000 bales	1,000 bales	1,000 bales	1,000 bales
Liverpool.....	319	356	293	204	289	298	388	281	294
Manchester.....	11	33	40	39	47	75	53	43	51
Continent.....	142	465	279	274	522	515	734	535	465
Total.....	472	854	612	517	858	888	1,175	859	810

¹ 1929-33.

Egyptian Cotton Consumed in the United States

[Equivalent 500-pound bales]

Month	1926-27	1927-28	1928-29	1929-30	1930-31	1931-32	1932-33	1933-34 ¹	1934-35
August.....	17,629	22,469	18,759	20,285	7,673	5,667	6,398	11,288	7,826
September.....	22,884	19,795	16,297	17,484	7,915	7,096	6,323	9,165	-----
October.....	20,812	19,413	20,057	20,107	9,429	6,598	7,858	9,558	-----
November.....	16,383	20,507	17,858	18,263	8,980	6,609	7,908	9,020	-----
December.....	16,876	18,864	18,003	17,976	10,134	6,509	6,645	6,150	-----
January.....	17,297	20,199	22,325	19,646	7,782	6,611	5,998	10,211	-----
February.....	17,042	20,435	19,546	17,036	8,377	6,665	6,253	9,280	-----
March.....	21,773	17,112	20,515	15,826	8,774	8,263	7,212	10,705	-----
April.....	19,527	16,466	20,159	18,156	9,763	6,427	6,217	8,553	-----
May.....	22,146	14,943	20,484	15,947	8,630	6,908	9,319	7,395	-----
June.....	26,045	13,951	18,046	13,278	8,898	6,026	9,040	6,284	-----
July.....	21,354	13,430	20,343	11,761	7,740	6,085	9,634	6,051	-----
Total.....	239,768	217,584	232,392	205,765	104,095	79,464	88,805	103,660	-----

¹ Subject to slight revisions.

Stocks of Egyptian cotton at Alexandria, Egypt, on September 7, were reported to be 129,000 bales of approximately 750 pounds gross weight, compared with 227,000 bales on September 8, 1933.

Stocks of Indian cotton at Bombay, India, on September 7, were reported to be 869,000 bales of approximately 400 pounds gross weight, compared with 708,000 bales on September 8, 1933.

Spot Cotton Quotations for Sept. 8, and Sales During Week of Sept. 3-8, 1934

Price of no. 5 or Middling spot cotton for Sept. 8, the commercial differences in price between no. 5 and other grades of American Upland cotton at each of the 10 markets named, and average differences and prices for the corresponding day in previous years, together with the total number of bales sold during the week of Sept. 3-8, 1934, in each of the markets and total for all the markets, with comparisons, as reported by the cotton exchanges.

Grade	Norfolk	Augusta	Savannah	Montgomery	Memphis	Little Rock	Dallas	Houston	Galveston	New Orleans	Average						
											Sept. 8, 1934	Sept. 9, 1933	Sept. 10, 1932	Sept. 12, 1931	Sept. 6, 1930	Sept. 7, 1929	Sept. 8, 1923
White Standards:	On ¹	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On
No. 1 or Middling Fair.....	60	65	65	65	65	65	100	100	100	65	75	63	56	80	86	72	83
No. 2 or Strict Good Middling.....	50	50	50	50	55	55	75	75	75	55	59	50	44	64	70	55	59
No. 3 or Good Middling.....	40	35	35	35	50	50	65	60	60	45	48	39	33	45	51	40	39
No. 4 or Strict Middling.....	30	25	25	25	35	35	45	40	40	30	33	27	20	27	32	25	25
No. 5 or Middling.....	13.15	13.25	13.25	12.95	13.15	13.08	12.75	13.35	13.35	13.30	13.16	8.34	7.87	5.97	10.61	18.22	13.52
No. 6 or Strict Low Middling.....	Off ¹	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off
No. 7 or Low Middling.....	40	38	40	40	40	40	45	40	40	30	39	32	26	46	72	74	63
No. 8 or Strict Good Ordinary ²	80	100	80	85	75	75	85	85	85	65	82	68	52	96	173	159	129
No. 9 or Good Ordinary ²	130	150	130	135	130	130	135	135	135	110	132	113	82	141	288	250	196
No. 9 or Good Ordinary ²	170	187	170	175	180	180	185	185	185	150	177	160	111	187	390	340	269
Extra White:	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On
No. 3 or Good Middling.....	40	35	35	35	50	50	65	60	60	55	49	39	33	45	51	40	39
No. 4 or Strict Middling.....	30	25	25	25	35	35	45	40	40	35	34	27	20	27	32	25	25
No. 5 or Middling.....	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even	10	1	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even
No. 6 or Strict Low Middling.....	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off
No. 7 or Low Middling.....	40	38	40	40	40	40	45	40	40	20	38	32	26	46	72	74	63
No. 7 or Low Middling.....	80	100	80	85	75	75	85	85	85	30	78	68	52	96	173	159	129
Spotted:	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On
No. 3 or Good Middling.....	30	25	25	25	35	35	25	25	25	30	28	24	19	22	21	18	21
No. 4 or Strict Middling.....	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even	Off ²	Off ¹	Off ¹	Off ⁵	Off ⁸	Off ³
No. 5 or Middling.....	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off
No. 6 or Strict Low Middling ²	40	38	40	40	40	40	45	40	40	30	39	32	23	47	72	73	60
No. 6 or Strict Low Middling ²	80	100	80	85	75	75	90	85	85	65	82	66	49	98	168	157	120
No. 7 or Low Middling ²	130	150	130	135	130	130	135	135	135	110	132	108	81	143	278	240	188
Yellow tinged:	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On
No. 2 or Strict Good Middling.....	Even	Even	Even	Even	10	10	Even	Even	Even	Even	2	2	On ²	3	10	6	4
No. 3 or Good Middling.....	40	40	35	30	20	20	20	20	20	30	28	25	25	44	58	48	37
No. 4 or Strict Middling.....	55	38	50	50	40	40	40	40	40	45	44	40	38	67	105	94	71
No. 5 or Middling ²	80	100	80	85	75	75	90	85	85	65	82	66	52	96	168	158	123
No. 6 or Strict Low Middling ²	130	150	130	135	115	115	135	135	135	110	129	107	85	142	240	221	184
No. 7 or Low Middling ²	170	187	170	175	150	150	185	185	185	150	171	150	122	190	330	301	260
Light Yellow Stained:	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On
No. 3 or Good Middling.....	45	38	45	45	45	45	40	40	40	40	42	36	36	68	133	108	81
No. 4 or Strict Middling ²	80	100	80	85	75	75	90	85	85	70	83	67	59	100	188	163	130
No. 5 or Middling ²	130	150	130	135	120	125	135	135	135	110	131	107	90	150	255	229	190
Yellow Stained:	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On
No. 3 or Good Middling.....	80	100	80	85	65	75	75	85	85	65	80	64	49	93	158	142	105
No. 4 or Strict Middling ²	130	150	130	135	110	115	120	135	135	110	127	107	86	124	240	214	185
No. 5 or Middling ²	170	187	170	175	160	150	170	185	185	150	170	148	121	189	323	279	250
Gray:	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On
No. 3 or Good Middling.....	35	38	30	30	25	25	20	25	25	25	28	25	17	43	85	69	55
No. 4 or Strict Middling.....	75	62	50	55	45	45	40	50	50	50	52	47	37	68	120	108	85
No. 5 or Middling ²	85	100	80	85	75	75	90	85	85	75	84	72	58	93	173	145	121
Blue Stained:	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On	On
No. 3 or Good Middling ²	80	100	80	85	75	75	90	85	85	70	83	66	55	93	178	161	153
No. 4 or Strict Middling ²	130	150	130	135	110	115	135	135	135	110	129	105	86	140	250	225	215
No. 4 or Middling ²	170	187	170	175	150	150	185	185	185	150	171	146	113	185	328	297	300
Sales for week, bales.....	85	428	1,491	230	22,631	6,475	79,856	44,283	1,021	12,854	169,356	178,649	162,679	174,192	165,867	186,425	201,632

¹ The differences are stated in terms of points or hundredths of a cent per pound. By "On" is meant that the stated number of points is to be added to the price of no. 5 and by "Off" is meant that the stated number of points is to be subtracted from the price of no. 5.

² These grades are not tenderable on future contracts made subject to section 5 of the United States Cotton Futures Act, as amended, on the future exchanges at New York, New Orleans, and Chicago.

³ Total sales. Sales from Aug. 1 to Sept. 8, 1934, amounted to 459,514 bales, compared with 553,161 bales during the corresponding period in 1933 and 598,535 bales in 1932.

The Price Situation

Summary as of September 15, 1934

Farm Prices.—The upward trend of market prices of the principal farm products which has been under way since mid-June continued through August. Present indications are that the level of farm prices is now somewhat higher than in mid-August when they averaged 87 percent of pre-war. Market prices of cotton during the last month have been relatively steady but grain prices have continued to advance and prices of most livestock and livestock products have advanced much more than seasonal during the last month.

Supplies of eggs have been running somewhat below the same time last year and have been accompanied by more than the usual seasonal increase in price. Butterfat prices have declined in the past month in response to less than the usual seasonal decline in milk production. Prices of hogs advanced sharply during August and cattle prices also showed marked improvement during the latter part of the month. During the first 2 weeks of September, however, a part of this advance was lost.

Wholesale Prices.—The sharp advance in farm and food prices during August resulted in an advance in the Bureau of Labor Statistics index of the general level of wholesale prices from 109.1 percent of the 1910-14 average for the last week of July to 113.1 for the last week of August. Market prices of farm products advanced from 90.5 to 103.1 and food prices advanced from 109.8 to 118.8 percent of the pre-war level during this period. Prices of nonagricultural products showed little change during August; slight advances in the prices of fuel and lighting, chemicals and drugs, and miscellaneous commodities being offset by declines in prices of hides and leather, textiles, metals, building materials, and house furnishings.

Wheat.—In spite of small yields in a number of important wheat-producing countries, world-wheat supplies are more than adequate for prospective utilization, except in the event of heavy feeding. By the end of the season, however, it is to be expected that stocks will be reduced to about a normal level so that there will be a basic improvement in the general wheat situation, the influence of which will extend beyond the current crop year. Both United States and world-market prices, which rose very sharply during July and early August, have reacted and lost part of those gains. As a result, the price structure is now on a sounder basis and no further major price swings seem likely until there is some material change in prospective-crop supplies.

Corn.—Corn prices advanced from August 15 to September 15, representing largely a further adjustment of prices to the unusually short feed supplies for the 1934-35 season. The process of price adjustment to supplies appears to be practically completed. Corn prices may not advance much further during the next few months, but will tend to be steady or move to a slightly lower level.

Governmental activities in the present feed situation are increasing. Hay and straw needed to feed livestock in drought States may be imported duty free at any domestic port of entry from any nation. The Reconstruction Finance Corporation has granted a commitment of \$100,000,000 to the Commodity Credit Corporation for new Government loans of 55 cents per bushel (old rate was 45 cents) upon ear corn stored and sealed on the farm pursuant to the State law in the States of Colorado, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, Ohio, and South Dakota.

Tobacco.—Prices for the 1934 crop of flue-cured tobacco on auction warehouse markets during August continued at the high levels established at the opening of the season, August 1, 1934. The average for the month of all types combined was nearly double that of last year and higher than for any corresponding month since 1926. In North Carolina, August sales on the eastern markets (type 12) this year averaged 26.2 cents per pound, and those on the border markets (type 13) averaged 25.5 cents per pound according to the State report. August sales on these markets last year averaged 10.4 cents and 13 cents per pound, respectively. In Georgia (type 14) producers' sales during August this year averaged 19 cents per pound compared with 11.3 cents last year, according to State reports.

Rice.—Prospective supplies of southern rice for 1934-35 appear to be slightly larger than those for the 1933-34 season. Movement of southern rough rice to mills during August, the first month of the 1934-35 season, was about average considering the size of the crop. Demand for United States rice during 1934-35 will probably not be greatly different from last season. Hawaiian rice consumption is expected to be about the average in 1934-35.

Potatoes.—Prospects for late crop potatoes improved somewhat during the past month and market prices remained fairly steady. The New Jersey crop and the early marketing varieties from some of the late producing States were the principal sources of market supply. Shipments from the main crop of the late States, however, may be expected to increase shortly and prices are likely to decline seasonally until the fall-peak movement is passed. Owing to the shortage of potatoes in the far west, it is likely that prices in central and western markets will continue to average higher than those in the eastern centers.

Hogs.—The seasonal rise in hog prices which started in early August continued throughout the month and prices in early September were at the highest levels since August 1931. A very marked reduction in supplies and the return of more moderate temperatures which stimulated consumer demand for meats were the factors accounting primarily for the advance. After prices reached the \$8 level at Chicago in early September, marketings quickly increased and prices declined almost \$1 per 100 pounds in a very few days. Although prices may return temporarily to their recent high points during the next few weeks, the trend is usually downward during the last quarter of the year, as increasing supplies of new crop hogs come to market. The decline from present levels this fall and winter, however, is expected to be much less than average in view of the very great reduction in the number of hogs raised this year.

Cattle.—Cattle prices rose sharply in late August, following a decline through July and in the first half of August, and new high levels for the year were established for the better grades. Decreased supplies of hogs which reduced the competition from pork and an improvement in consumer demand following the return of more favorable temperature conditions accounted largely for the advance. Other contributing factors were some reduction in market supplies of the better grades of steers and an expansion of the Government cattle-buying program in the more critical drought areas, thus reducing somewhat the pressure of burdensome supplies of low-grade cattle on the market. Seasonal increases in marketings of grass cattle in early September, following the price advance, caused prices to lose part of their previous gains. With unusually small supplies of well-finished cattle in prospect, prices of such cattle during the remainder of the year are expected to be well maintained near or above recent levels.

Butter.—The unfavorable prospects for butter production in July and August resulted in butterfat prices advancing somewhat earlier and making more than the usual seasonal increase. More recently, however, prospects for production during the remainder of the pasture season have improved, and a part of the advance in prices has been lost. Prices of butterfat in relation to feed grains are very low, and with short crops, butter production during the winter months will probably be less than last year. Cold-storage stocks of butter are about 55,000,000 pounds less than a year ago.

Cheese.—Cheese prices made more than the usual seasonal increase from July to August largely in response to higher butter prices. Cheese production is larger than a year ago and cold-storage stocks are the largest on record. Prospects for low production during the winter months because of relatively high-priced feed and short supplies are tending to maintain prices.

Poultry.—Farm marketing of poultry throughout the Middle West in late August and early September was not quite as heavy as a month earlier. Cooler weather, together with advancing egg prices, caused many farmers to sell off their stock less drastically, particularly year-old fowls which might with advantage be carried over as a part of next year's laying flocks. With less pressure of supplies from that source, the market began to recover from its mid-summer low, and by the middle of September prices on fowls at New York had advanced 3½ cents on fresh-killed dressed and 5 cents on live. The market on this year's young chickens did not show a similar advance as supplies were more liberal.

Lambs.—Lamb prices, after making some recovery following the severe decline in July, reacted sharply in the third week in August but quickly regained most of the drop and have since fluctuated within narrow limits. Marketings of this year's lamb crop until late August were smaller than the marketing of a year earlier, but more recently they have been larger and during the next 6 weeks they probably will continue to exceed the marketings of the corresponding period of last year. Total marketings, however, will be influenced somewhat by the extent to which ewe lambs are retained to replace old ewes sold to the Government in drought areas. With reduced supplies of competing meats in prospect, lamb prices during the remainder of the year are expected to be maintained near present levels even though the demand for feeder lambs will be much below average.

Wool.—The dullness which has prevailed in the domestic wool market for many weeks remains unbroken. Prices have been slightly irregular in recent weeks, but quotations are still nominal to a considerable extent. The opening sale at Brisbane, Australia, on August 20 was considered favorable to the maintenance of present domestic price levels in that prices were fully equal to the closing quotations at the July series in London. Since the opening, however, prices at Australian sales are reported to have declined about 5 percent. Manufacturing activity in the domestic wool textile industry continued very low during July and August and further uncertainty was added to the position by the strike of textile workers on September 1. Until there is an improvement in the domestic manufacturing situation or a change in the foreign price level, quotations for domestic wool will probably show no material change. Wool production for 1934 in 13 countries which furnish about two-thirds of the world wool production, exclusive of Russia and China, is now provisionally estimated at 2,138,000,000 pounds or approximately the same as in 1933, but 6 percent below production in 1932.

Cotton.—Prices of American cotton in domestic markets continued very stable during August and the first part of September, except for the temporary spurt which followed the August crop report. The September report forecasts the 1934 domestic crop at 9,252,000 bales which together with a carry-over of 10,634,000 bales indicates a world supply of American cotton for the season of slightly less than 19,900,000 bales compared with 24,600,000 bales last season. The world supply of foreign grown cotton, however, will probably be larger than last season because of a record carry-over of that cotton, and present indications point more toward an increase in production than a decrease. Domestic cotton consumption increased considerably during August, but has been running at a very low rate during the first part of September because of the strike among the textile employees. Activity in most European countries was somewhat lower in August and early September than in previous months and considerably lower than a year earlier. In Japan, however, mill consumption continued at about record levels although sales were apparently less than output.

Revised Farm Price Index Includes 20 More Products

Revision of the index numbers of the prices of farm products based on prices gathered by the Bureau since 1910, with the inclusion of 20 products not previously covered, has been completed by the Bureau of Agricultural Economics. This revision presents new price series for dairy products and tobacco and adds a group of truck crops. The weights for marketings are changed from a base of 1918-23 to 1924-29. This revision was begun in 1931, utilizing the 1930 census data and other information gathered by the crop estimating service. The new index covers 34 major farm products and 13 commercial truck crops, whereas the previous series included only 27 major farm products.

This revision does not change the individual price series now in use for "basic" commodities and does not change "parity prices" of these products. The revision of the dairy products prices was completed before the Agricultural Adjustment Act became law and was used in computing parity prices for these products.

The revised index numbers of all groups of farm prices combined range from 2 points lower than the old index in 1915 to 10 points above for the year 1928. The new index number for August 1934 is 96 compared with 87 for the old index number. The index for cotton and meat animals remains practically unchanged; the index for grains is slightly higher. The old fruit and vegetable index is replaced by separate indexes, one for fruits and another for truck crops. The revised index numbers for chicken and egg prices are from 2 to 3 points higher. Potatoes, sweetpotatoes, and dry beans have been added to a miscellaneous group in which tobacco, hay, and potatoes are the most important commodities. This group is not included in the table following.

The most significant changes in the revised index relate to dairy products. For many years it has been recognized that this index number series was unsatisfactory. New data have been gathered by the crop estimating service so that the new index now includes four products sold by farmers, namely, wholesale milk, butterfat, retail milk, and butter. The old index included only wholesale milk and butter. The addition of these prices to the dairy index lowers that series 2 points in 1920 and raises it a maximum of 11 points in 1932.

The combined index numbers in the revision are more representative of prices of all farm products in that the index numbers

for each group of commodities are weighted in proportion to that group's contribution to total cash farm income, whereas formerly the general series was computed from the weighted aggregate value for the 27 commodities used in the series. For example, the fruits included in the fruit series constitute about two-thirds of the fruit sold by farmers, whereas cotton and cottonseed sales are represented entirely.

The new series of index numbers, by months, since 1910, has been computed by the Bureau and is available on request.

Index Numbers of Farm Prices Received, by Commodities, and Retail Prices Paid by Farmers¹

[1910-14=100]

Year and month	Index numbers of prices received								Retail prices paid for commodities used in			Ratio of prices received to prices paid
	Grains	Cotton and cottonseed	Fruits	Truck crops	Meat animals	Dairy products	Poultry and eggs	All groups	Living	Production	Living and production ²	
1910.....	104	113	101	---	103	99	104	102	98	98	98	104
1911.....	96	101	102	---	87	95	91	95	100	103	101	94
1912.....	106	87	94	---	95	102	100	100	101	98	100	100
1913.....	92	97	107	---	108	105	101	101	100	102	101	100
1914.....	102	85	91	---	112	102	106	101	102	99	100	101
1915.....	120	77	82	---	104	103	101	98	107	104	105	93
1916.....	125	119	100	---	120	109	116	118	124	124	124	95
1917.....	217	187	118	---	174	135	155	175	147	151	149	117
1918.....	227	245	172	---	203	163	186	202	177	174	176	115
1919.....	233	247	178	---	207	186	209	213	210	192	202	105
1920.....	232	248	191	---	174	198	223	211	222	174	201	105
1921.....	112	101	187	---	109	156	162	125	161	141	152	82
1922.....	106	156	174	---	114	143	141	132	156	139	149	89
1923.....	113	216	137	---	107	159	146	142	160	141	152	93
1924.....	129	212	125	150	110	149	149	143	159	143	152	94
1925.....	157	177	172	153	140	153	163	156	164	147	157	99
1926.....	131	122	138	143	147	152	159	145	162	146	155	94
1927.....	128	125	144	121	140	155	144	139	159	145	153	91
1928.....	130	152	176	159	151	158	153	149	160	148	155	96
1929.....	120	144	141	149	156	157	162	146	158	147	153	95
1930.....	100	102	162	140	133	137	129	126	148	140	145	87
1931.....	63	63	98	117	92	108	100	87	126	122	124	70
1932.....	44	47	82	102	63	83	82	65	108	107	107	61
1933.....	62	64	74	104	60	82	75	70	109	108	109	64
1934:												
January.....	35	45	70	91	51	81	95	60	---	---	102	59
February.....	34	44	64	96	53	74	60	55	---	---	101	54
March.....	36	48	65	92	56	71	56	55	99	101	100	55
April.....	47	49	69	74	57	72	58	58	---	---	101	57
May.....	63	65	74	89	65	78	65	68	---	---	102	67
June.....	63	69	86	111	66	80	58	71	102	104	103	69
July.....	94	84	81	102	66	88	69	83	---	---	107	78
August.....	81	71	74	95	64	85	69	79	---	---	112	71
September.....	78	69	78	147	62	89	78	80	117	114	116	69
October.....	69	71	77	123	64	91	93	78	---	---	116	67
November.....	75	76	70	127	59	92	102	80	---	---	116	69
December.....	73	77	74	114	52	88	94	78	117	114	116	67
1934:												
January.....	76	82	86	102	55	84	82	77	---	---	117	66
February.....	79	93	87	101	65	92	78	83	---	---	119	70
March.....	79	94	97	79	66	95	74	84	121	119	120	70
April.....	77	94	96	98	64	91	72	82	---	---	120	68
May.....	78	90	110	89	64	91	72	82	---	---	121	68
June.....	89	94	137	80	64	93	72	86	122	121	122	70
July.....	91	99	113	102	66	94	76	87	---	---	122	71
August.....	106	107	101	108	68	97	86	96	---	---	123	78

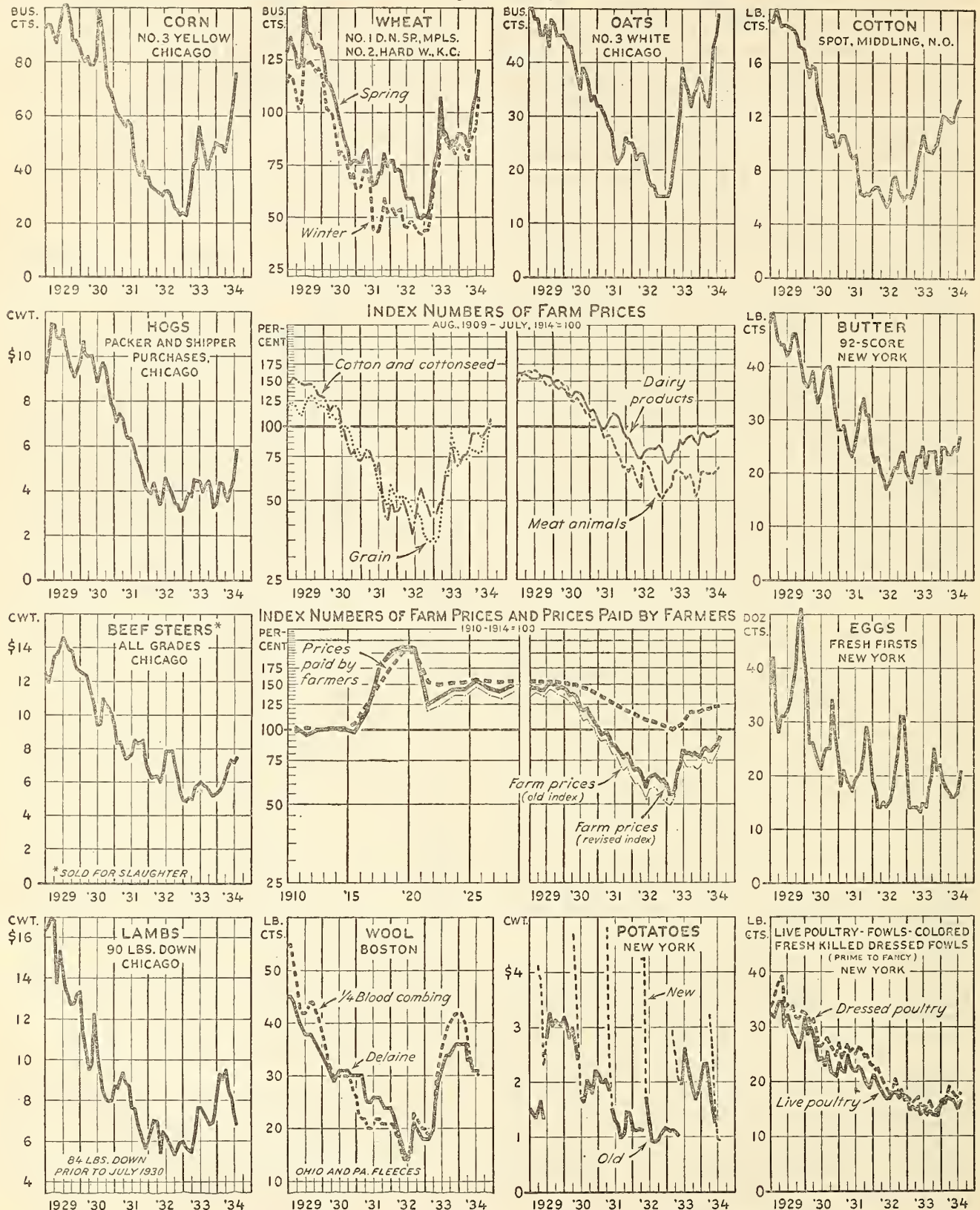
¹ Revised.

² These index numbers are based on retail prices paid by farmers for commodities used in living and production reported quarterly for March, June, September, and December. The indexes for other months are straight interpolations between the successive quarterly indexes.

Index issued previous to September 1934

Year and month	Index numbers of prices received								Retail prices paid for commodities used in			Ratio of prices received to prices paid
	Grains	Cotton and cottonseed	Fruits and vegetables	Meat animals	Dairy products	Poultry products	All groups	Living	Production	Living and production		
1934:												
Jan.....	75	82	92	55	73	82	70	---	---	117	60	
Feb.....	78	93	101	64	77	77	76	---	---	119	64	
Mar.....	78	94	108	65	79	72	76	121	119	120	63	
Apr.....	77	94	105	63	76	70	74	---	---	120	62	
May.....	78	90	105	63	76	69	74	---	---	121	61	
June.....	89	94	108	64	76	69	77	122	121	122	63	
July.....	92	99	103	66	77	73	80	---	---	122	66	
Aug.....	107	107	100	68	80	84	87	---	---	123	71	

Price Movements of Important Agricultural Products



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This set of charts shows the price situation of agricultural products at a glance. The charts forming the border display prices which are considered to be fairly typical of the market price movements of the major agricultural products. The upper chart in the center shows the movement of prices of cotton and cottonseed, grain, dairy products, and meat animals. The lower center chart shows the movement of prices of 47 farm products combined and retail prices of commodities farmers buy. The index of prices farmers receive has been revised and both the old and new indexes are shown. See page 375 for details on the revised index.

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